

4,000 IN PERIL AS FLOOD ISOLATES TOWN

POST-SCRIPTS
By
GEORGE ROTHWELL BROWN

"Though right be oft put down by strength,
As many a day we saw that,
The true and lawful cause at length
Shall bear the grief for a' that."

We have generally observed that soon or late the average Mexican president always gets into Aguascalientes.

The Nats win again, but a game in the big league is worth two in the bush.

If Elihu Root is at Geneva as a private citizen why is he cabling reports to the State Department, and if he is there as the official representative of the United States why not say so? It is encouraging to note that before we are shoved into the League of Nations the Senate will sprinkle some sand on the track.

Time right in on the radio—Buy a block of stock and let her go! The general public listens in on another song from Wall Street.

South Washington goes Chicago and quite a racket is kicked up before the smoke blows away. First thing our underworld knows pineapples will be ripe.

Representative Oscar de Priest demands an immediate trial on charges of conspiracy to operate gambling houses in Chicago, as in a few days he has a heavy date to go to Washington to make laws for the people to observe.

According to the latest figures of the Agricultural Department there are now 27,511,000 persons living on farms in the United States, some of whom are said to be farmers.

Two statesmen tonight will go on the air in the "half hour with the Senate." Thanks to Marconi we can't get rid of it now even when it's adjourned.

Sad Sam Jones is now light-hearted once more and let us hope that Gollin doesn't make one of himself.

The project to give women recognition in the broad scheme of national defense has collapsed, the General Staff having decided that in the next war the wool of the country will be conserved instead of being made into Peacock Alley sweaters.

Secretary Mellon's advice to investors to buy bonds doubtless will be headed if he can tell 'em just which bonds are due for a sure thing 100-point rise in the next two or three days.

President Hoover is said to desire for his law enforcement commission only unprejudiced men of open minds, which ought to land the chairmanship at once for the Hon. Willis Ophaw, of Georgia, whose judicial attitude toward the liquor question while a member of Congress attracted international attention, although the calm impartiality of John Waterbury Stratton makes him a formidable contender.

Senators Nye and Brookhart, the well-known economists, discuss billion-dollar farm relief with President Hoover, and it's too bad that Col. Mulberry Sellers couldn't have been present with 'em.

The strike at that Tennessee rayon plant threatens to develop into quite a run.

Heavy fog clarifies the acute hicker situation in New York.

Now that all tax refunds above \$20,000 are to be made public it is going to become increasingly difficult to curb that envious feeling.

The talkies refute Chief Justice Taft's version of what he thought he was saying when he administered the inaugural oath to Mr. Hoover. This conserved contraption when perfected is going to cause a lot of trouble to office seekers who always edit their speeches or claim that the reporter misquoted them. "Somebody is always taking all the joy out of life."

Committee of distinguished New York lawyers, of which Frederick R. Coudert, Jr., is chairman, organized to educate juries to refuse to convict under the Jones act, and to bring about its deliberate nullification. Some of these Manhattan legal lights appear to be descended from the Colonial patriots who refused to buy King George's stamps, and pulled him off his horse in Bowling Green.

John Bull sees Uncle Sam's naval program and raises him three cruisers.

"Income Tax Office Facing Jan" headline. Uncle Sam will get the jump.

TORREON DRIVE ENTRAPS MANY U. S. NATIONALS

Americans Stranded When Banks Are Closed; Can Not Escape.

ASSAULT UPON CITY ORDERED FOR DAWN

Mexico City Reports Gen. Escobar in Juarez, Ready to Flee.

BATTLE IN MAZATLAN AT HAND, IS WARNING

Rebel Troops Quit Nogales; Attempt to Regain Naco Is Forecast.

Mexico City, March 14 (N.Y.W.N.S.).—Gen. Plutarco Elias Calles, field commander of the federal army, under whose orders government troops have been concentrating all day around Torreon, Coahuila, tonight advised President Ortiz that the attack on the key city of north central Mexico will begin tomorrow.

Gen. Calles tonight issued orders to his generals to capture or kill every rebel in the City of Torreon. More than 20,000 federal troops will go into action tomorrow in the assault on Torreon.

Juarez, Mexico, March 14 (A.P.).—A number of Americans, most of whom declined to give their names, arrived here today by train from Torreon, and it was learned that there are many Americans stranded in the town, unable to get funds with which to leave because the banks are closed. There is no way for Americans in Torreon to communicate with outside points, it was reported.

J. J. McKernan and D. W. Hopkins, auditors for the American Smelting and Refining Co., who were on the train, said there was much military activity in the vicinity of Torreon, but that citizens of that district were going about their business as usual.

A detachment of recruits to the rebel forces, from Chihuahua, arrived here on the train, and the wives and children of a number of rebel troops now stationed at Juarez were passengers. There was much rejoicing at the station as families were reunited.

Almazan Declared Rebel.

Revolutionary headquarters here were advised tonight by Gen. Marcelino Caraveo, rebel commander at Chihuahua City, that Mexico rebel cavalry captured 280 federal soldiers and a large number of guns in a skirmish today at the Ojo Caliente Ranch, near Higuera, between Saltillo and Monterrey.

Caraveo reported he had received a message from Gen. Francisco Manzo confirming the report that Gen. Juan Andres Almazan, federal general in command of the State of Monterey, had gone over to the rebel cause.

Mazatlan, Sinaloa, Mexico, March 14, 3 p. m. (U.P.).—The rebel forces are gradually closing in. It is feared that communications and the water supply will be cut.

(The above brief and significant dispatch was filed by the United Press correspondent in Mazatlan yesterday afternoon. It indicated that detailed news of the situation there might be lacking after the rebels surround the town. The rebels on the west coast.

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Plans for New Junior High Call for Model Institution

District Heads Say Construction of Big Building at Reno Reservoir Will Start July 1; First Section, for 800 Pupils, Ready in Two Years.

District officials yesterday revealed plans for the largest single school building project since the completion of the new McKinley High School.

Plans for the Reno Junior High School, the project under consideration, which is to be located on a large tract of land east of the Reno Reservoir, are nearing completion, and officials plan to start construction of the school July 1, when \$300,000 of a \$500,000 authorization becomes available.

The new building is to serve as a model for the junior high schools to be constructed in the future and when completed will be the largest and best-equipped school of its kind in Washington. The Reno School also will have the added distinction of being the first junior high school in Washington to have its own stadium. Plans already have been made for the placing of a large athletic field suitable for football,

baseball, track and other sports adjacent to the new building.

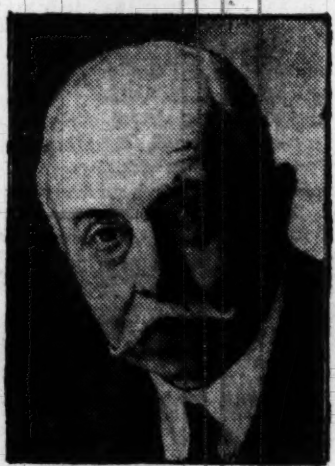
The first unit of the new school will contain 25 classrooms, an assembly hall and an auditorium. The building will be of the extensible type, and as soon as the remainder of the half-million-dollar authorization becomes available, two additional wings, each containing ten classrooms and a gymnasium, will be erected.

May L. E. Atkins, Assistant Engineer, Commissioner in charge of school sites, yesterday announced that the District Commissioners had authorized the institution of condemnation proceedings to obtain the site for the new school. The proceedings will be started within the next few days.

The new school is to be constructed in the area bounded by Thirtieth, Penden and Howard streets and the al-

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NAVAL PLAN WINS



W. C. BRIDGEMAN

ENGLISH COMMONS VOTES 3 CRUISERS

Bridgeman, Making Report, Denies Race With U. S.; Scouts War Fears.

ONLY 50 WARSHIPS IN 1940

London, March 14 (U.P.).—W. C. Bridgeman, first lord of the admiralty, made an exhaustive presentation of Great Britain's naval policy in presenting the 1929 navy estimates to the House of Commons today.

He made the following points: Great Britain is not engaged in a naval arms race with the United States; she is ready to consider arms limitation proposals, but must maintain an adequate navy to protect her insular position and imperial responsibilities; there is no danger to the peace of the world in two such pacific nations as Great Britain and the United States maintaining adequate navies for defense. It is unreasonable to suppose that either will be engaged in a war of aggression against another power and still more unreasonable to imagine that there is any danger of them fighting each other.

Bridgeman revealed that England will lay down three new cruisers in 1929, and said that if she continues replacing obsolete cruisers at the rate of three annually, by 1940 England will have only 50 cruisers under 20 years of age.

The House of Commons approved the navy estimates tonight without a vote.

Bridgeman, who announced that he was retiring from office at the end of the present session and would not seek reelection to parliament, made in what may be his last important speech a strikingly frank and complete exposition of England's attitude on naval matters.

Bridgeman urged adoption of the 1929 net naval estimates of \$55,865,000 sterling (approximately \$79,000,000). He said that, deducting charges for the air fleet (which used to be a separate budget) and for nonmilitary units, the present estimates are \$2,500,000 sterling below those of 1914, while, if the difference in money value is considered they are \$27,500,000 below.

The prewar navy cost was 24.5 per cent of the total budget, Bridgeman said.

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POLICE HOLD 16 IN SLAYING TWO AS INFORMERS

Sleuth Escapes Murder Plot by Visiting Wife, New-Born Girl.

PAIR SLAIN IN ALLEY OVER LOTTERY WAR

Arrest of Slayings Soon Is Hinted as Dragnet Covers District.

Police are close on the trail of one of three colored men sought as slayers of two colored police informers Wednesday in a plot to "get" not only the informers but Detective R. J. Barrett, of the Fourth Precinct.

Barrett escaped death because he was called to Providence Hospital and at the time of the shooting was with his wife, who gave birth to a daughter. A third informer with the two who were slain was unharmed by the bullets fired from an automobile when he ran.

Clarence Harvey and Edward Smith, colored, both of 224 V street northwest, were killed, while Jesse Kendall, 909 N street northwest, was the informer who escaped. The trio had visited Fourth Precinct Station, in the Southwest section, a half hour before, and it is believed they were followed from the police station to G street and Bears Gap, where the shooting occurred.

Sixteen colored men were arrested by police in a round-up following the double slaying, all being held for investigation. Charges have not been placed against any of the sixteen.

Lieut. Edward Kelly of the homicide squad in a round-up, declared last night that a definite line on one of the three slayers had been established. The city is being searched for the trio and wires have been sent police in other places.

According to witnesses one of the informers was called back by the men in the car. When he responded to the hail, the gunmen opened fire. Smith dropped and was taken to Emergency Hospital where he died early yesterday morning. Harvey, although shot through the heart, ran a block before he collapsed. His body was found at H street and Bears Gap, a revolver clutched in his hand. Three of five shells had been exploded but police are not certain whether he returned the fire of his assailants or whether the gun had been discharged earlier in the evening.

Slayings Are Unrecognized.

Kendall, who escaped by running, reported to police later and said he was unable to recognize any of the men in the auto from which the shots were fired.

The plot to get Detective Barrett was learned from Merle Taylor, colored, 213 N street southwest, who said three colored men he saw in a poolroom at 84 N street southwest, stated they "were going out right now and get Barrett."

Police say the three men attacked had been employed in obtaining evidence on violations of the lottery law by running the "number" game, played by colored men using stock exchange and curb toll sales figures. They also furnished evidence on which liquor raids had been made. A number of cases in court will be dropped because of the death of the two informers.

Five Work on Arrests.

In addition to Lieut. Kelly, the following detective sergeants worked on the round-up: T. J. Sweeney, J. F. Waldron, G. E. Darnell, J. Flaherty and J. W. Fowler.

The sixteen men held at Fourth Precinct for investigation are Clarence F. H. 34 years old, 15 Logan place northwest; Elmer Edward Chase, 36 years old, 1905 Fourth street northwest; James Lane, 22 years old, 1645 Thirteenth street northwest; Joseph Robinson, 25 years old, 400 N street northwest; Joe Edwards, 31 years old, 463 P street northwest; Robert Houston, 38 years old, 34 L street northwest; Walter Dodson, 29 years old, 112 Fifth street northwest; Frank

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50 Passengers Shaken As Street Cars Crash

Although 50 home-going passengers were shaken up, no one was injured last night when an eastbound Columbia line street car of the Washington Railway & Electric Co. collided with a southbound Fifth street car of the same line at Fifth street and Massachusetts avenue northwest.

Police reported that the southbound car had started across the intersection when struck by the eastbound car, the latter carrying a full load of workers on the way home. Police reserves were called to direct traffic when a large crowd gathered. Both cars were slightly damaged.

R. F. & P. Transportation Co. Superior motor coach service to Frederickburg and Richmond. See schedule on inside page 24.

IL DUCE BARS CEDING OF LAND IN PAPAL PACT

Mussolini Reveals How He Demanded Rent for Villa Doria.

PREMIER PUBLISHES RATIFICATION APPEAL

Italian Sovereignty in No Way Infringed, He Says, by Treaty With Pope.

Rome, March 14 (N.Y.W.N.S.).—No aircraft will be allowed to fly over the tiny Vatican state, and any insults or attempts against the pontiff made on Italian territory will be judged as against the Italian King or head of the government, which means liability to capital punishment, under the terms of the new Lateran treaty between the Holy See and the Italian state.

Clarifying these and a great many other points, Premier Mussolini made public today his message asking ratification of the Lateran treaty which will be sent to the new parliament when it convenes April 20.

Regarding religious teaching in schools Mussolini is extremely explicit. Though such teaching will be extended by the treaty from elementary to the secondary schools, and religious textbooks will be chosen by the church authorities, he stresses that supervision of ecclesiastical authorities over Italian schools will not be allowed.

Marriage Dignity Recognized.

He devotes considerable space to that part of the concordat which recognizes church law regarding marriage to be in keeping with civil law. Il Duce explains that recognition of marriage as a sacrament restores dignity to marriage in keeping with Fascist ideals, but those who do not wish to celebrate marriage with a religious service can choose civil marriage as before.

But the fact that marriages may be found to have been null by the church does not interfere with the state's sovereignty or jurisdiction. State tribunals have the power to allow execution of church tribunals' annulments, and also her dispensation of unions which are not consummated.

Referring to the year's negotiations which preceded the concordat between the Italian state and the Vatican, Mussolini denies there was ever the question of giving the Vatican State an outlet to the sea or ceding any portion whatever of Italian territory.

Duce Refutes Charges.

At first the Pope asked for Villa Doria Pamphili and land lying between it and the Vatican gardens, but the Duce said the Holy Father must formally recognize that it remained as Italian territory by paying a nominal yearly rent of 1 lira, or about 20 cents American money, and the Holy See realized the inconvenience of this arrangement and dropped the idea altogether.

Mussolini's "relazione," or official commentary, upon the texts of the treaty and concordat signed by him and Cardinal Gasparri last February 11 throws interesting side lights upon the historic event. The "relazione," characteristic, clear sentence refutes opinions expressed here and abroad that concordat between church and state entails "any return to medieval legislation or cession of Fascist state's sovereignty to the church."

No Property Restoration.

The premier assures all those he defines as "insincere zealots of the sovereign state who are really anticlerical" that Italy of the Middle Ages and those situations which modernity has eliminated will not return. He says that neither the ecclesiastical courts' right of exile or mortmain will be revived, but that liberty of conscience and worship will be assured to all. The concordat, Il Duce stresses, gives the Catholic Church free use of spiritual powers and also a privileged position because Italy is a Catholic country and state. But this does not mean that Rome will remain closed to new ideas and progress of modern thought, he adds. Legislation will see to it that undue encroachments of sectarian principles will be made impossible. The Catholic clergy and religions will be treated with respect due to their sacred mission, but no special privileges will be given them.

There is no thought, he says, of restoring to religious bodies any real estate or other worldly goods which passed from their possession after 1870.

Bishops to Take Oath.

Though bishops and priests will no longer await the king's written permission to occupy dioceses or parishes, their names will be submitted by the Holy See to the Italian government before their appointments are decided.

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Florida-Hawaii round trip tickets for one way fare plus 25 cts. Mar. 30-Apr. 20. Mar. 11-Apr. 20. Phone Main 1535-1547.

Roosevelt Contender For Philippine Post

Strong Movement Begun for Office Offered to Col. Donovan.

By CARLISLE BARGERON.

The post of Governor General of the Philippines, being vacated by Henry L. Stimson for the premier Cabinet post in President Hoover's administration, is attracting a formidable field of candidates who go about their business without ballyhoo.

So far it is not believed that Mr. Hoover has any of them under serious consideration, because he is not believed to have given up the hope that Col. William J. Donovan, former assistant to President Hoover's administration, is attracting a formidable field of candidates who go about their business without ballyhoo.

It is reasonable to assume that Mr. Stimson, in fact, will have something to say about the selection of his successor, and that being the case the strong movement on behalf of Col. Theodore Roosevelt should not be taken too lightly.

The colonel's friends are what might be said to be turning heaven and earth for him in their own quiet but effective way. And in the vanguard is his sister, Mrs. Alice Longworth. Unlike her close friend, Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick,

Mrs. Longworth does not go out and run for office or appear to be actively in politics.

But her influence here in Washington, over the tea-cups and the like, is not to be discounted. Presumably Mrs. McCormick is with her in the present endeavor, although Mrs. Longworth was for Hoover at Kansas City last June.

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M'DONNELL LOOMS AS ENVOY TO CHINA

Bostonian, Former Army Man, May Succeed MacMurray, Headed for Tokyo.

JOHNSON MAY RETAIN JOB

By WILFRID FLEISHER.

Capt. Richard T. McDonnell, of Boston, is understood to have been selected by President Hoover as American Minister to China, to succeed John Van A. MacMurray, who is mentioned for the post of Ambassador to Tokyo, according to reliable information obtained here yesterday.

Capt. McDonnell has spent many years in China, first, in the service of the American Army at Tientsin and later as an engineer.

Capt. McDonnell came to Washington last week and spent several days leaving for Boston to join his family with which he is now on the way to Seattle. According to friends here, he intends to leave his family on the West Coast and return to Washington for another brief visit. This would seem to indicate that he has already made plans for his departure and that he would be able to sail for China at short notice.

Born in 1887, McDonnell entered the Army as a private and worked his way up through the ranks to the grade of captain, which he held at the time of his resignation while serving with the Fifteenth Infantry at Tientsin, in October, 1919. He served at various Army posts in the United States before being sent to the Philippines in 1918 as a lieutenant in the Philippine Scouts. He was transferred to the Fifteenth Infantry at Tientsin in April, 1919, with which he remained until his resignation from the Army. He subsequently engaged in engineering work in China.

The Fifteenth Infantry, with which McDonnell served at Tientsin, is stationed there in accordance with the terms of the Boxer Protocol of 1901, with the object of maintaining order.

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Boat Motors Roar Busily As Fog Aids Bootleggers

New York Coast Blanketed by Mist as Lurking Rum Craft Rush Cargoes Ashore Past Bewildered Coast Guard; Liquor Auto Fleet, With Radio, Seized.

New York, March 14 (N.Y.W.N.S.).—The big town donned a murky garment of fog today, and hundreds of bootleggers sang an ode in praise of the mist. For several weeks a number of ships have been hovering offshore with liquid cargoes. Deliveries have been held up because the Coast Guard cutters stayed too close to the rum fleet. Then came the fog today.

It was one of those fogs which you read about in cables from London. It blanketed the entire city and several miles of the Atlantic coast. The rum fleet dimmed slowly before the watching eyes of the Coast Guard until nothing was left but uncertain outlines against a cloudy curtain. It was then that the cutters began to wireless shore stations for reinforcements. In the murk could be heard the rattle of swift motors as bootleg craft came scurrying out to the rum ships, burrowing like moles through the watery scrim.

Tonight, according to reports, quite a sizable batch of booze had found its way to shore during the day, arriving at an opportune moment, for it was generally conceded that the stock of "real stuff" was almost exhausted.

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New York, March 14 (N.Y.W.N.S.).—A big motor truck loaded with 600 cases of whisky and six convey auto-mobiles, one equipped with a radio said to have been used for communication with rum runners at sea, were seized today by two Nassau County policemen when the truck became stuck in the mud on Mill road, south of Hempstead, Long Island. Five men were arrested.

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DELUGE TRAPS 350 CHILDREN IN CLASSROOM

Alabama Governor Says All in Elba Will Die if Aid Is Delayed.

RIISING WATERS CUT OFF COMMUNICATION

Telephone Operator Gives Plea for Help as Last Line Falls.

MILITIA UNDER WAY WITH MOTOR BOATS

Swift Currents Add to Danger of Residents Entrapped; 1,000 in Courthouse.

Birmingham, Ala., March 14 (A.P.).—Gov. Ribb Graves tonight broadcast an appeal over radio station WAPI urging that relief be sent to Elba, Ala., as quickly as possible, declaring unless aid is given the stricken city within the next six or eight hours that "all will be dead."

Gov. Graves urged residents of the area adjoining Elba to get there "now," as the town was in the gravest peril. Dothan, Ala., March 14 (A.P.).—A courier reaching the office of the Dothan Eagle here said 350 school children, marooned on the second floor of the Elba elementary school, were out of control of the teachers and screaming at the top of their voices for aid. The courier said water was flowing through the first floor of the building. The courier reached Dothan after traveling by automobile, boat and horseback, making the approximately 60-mile trip in eight hours.

Children Trapped by Water.

The children, the courier said, had been in the school building since classes opened this morning. They were prevented from leaving by the water that suddenly swelled about the building.

He could not confirm reports that the Pea River power dam had gone out. Troy, Ala., March 14 (A.P.).—Graves fears were felt tonight for the safety of the 4,000 inhabitants of Elba, Ala., 23 miles south of here, who were cut off from all communication late today by flood waters of Pea River and White Water Creek that rose suddenly to block all means of egress.

Urgent appeals for help were received from the stricken town shortly before telegraph and telephone communication was broken, presumably by rising waters that flooded off the.

Many Lives Held in Danger.

Scores of lives were endangered unless boats reached the town by midnight, A. E. Lee, of Enterprise, informed local relief workers. Lee said his last report was that water flowed through the streets of Elba up to a depth of 10 feet in mid-afternoon and was still rising steadily as the torrents came down from the watersheds of Pea River and White Water. Rains that poured throughout last night continued unabated here tonight adding to the torrents feeding creeks and rivers throughout this section.

First word of the tragic situation in Elba, the county seat of Coffee County, reached here at 3:30 p. m. in a telegram to the mayor, saying, "Send help at once. All Elba flooded."

A plucky telephone operator in Elba, with water sloshing about her ankles replied to a telephone and briefly described the grave situation of the citizens of the town, before rising floods cut the shaky telephone line that remained.

Since then nothing definite from the town has been received. While silence held the fate of the 4,000 residents, citizens throughout

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far only one death has been reported, a negro farmer who drowned in Geneva today when his wagon returned on a flooded highway. In the meantime Adj. Gen. F. Eugene Butler, from Montgomery, issued orders for all National Guard units in the State to prepare for duty in the event some of south Alabama in event some were needed. Gen. Butler said his units would be used in transporting guardsmen, were practical, then trucks and motor cars. Each caravan will carry boats to aid in its march through the stricken areas and, to do rescue work.

Mobile, whose 4,000 inhabitants were

strict and the river was returning to its banks.

Other tributaries of the Mississippi, Wisconsin, Iowa and Nebraska, also are less rampagous today, as ice continued to break up and melt, permitting the flood waters to pass on westward. The Platte River, in Nebraska, was a swirling torrent, but observers felt the real danger was passing.

Unless there should be heavy rains the next day or so, it was regarded as likely that all the swollen streams would recede rapidly.

Friday yesterday morning when Mrs. Lillian E. Lillar, 60 years old, residing near Takoma Park, reported that a colored man answering the description of Mrs. Millar's assailant had emerged from the woods near her home and asked for food.

When information of this became known the fire siren at Takoma Park was sounded and practically every man who was at work in the suburb joined the man-hunt. A cordon was drawn around the woods in which a man was believed to be hiding, and policemen were dispatched to Oco-

Associated Press Photo

Discussion of law enforcement and legal reform yesterday brought two leaders of Yale University to the Capital to confer with President Hoover. Dean Robert M. Hutchins, right, of Yale law school and Prof. Charles E. Clark leaving the White House after the conference.

was reflected in yesterday's engagement list by a visit from Senators Brookhart, of Iowa, and Nye, of North Dakota, both Republicans, who visited the White House together to go over the agricultural situation with the President. Later in the day he was closeted with Secretary Hyde, of the Department of Agriculture.

In selecting the men who will compose the law enforcement commission, Mr. Hoover has set up as the primary qualification a wide experience of legal

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SEGRAVE NOW SEEKS WATER SPEED TITLE

Britisher Leaves Daytona for Miami Regatta as Death Ends Racing.

TWO VICTIMS GIVEN RITES

Daytona Beach, Fla., March 14 (A.P.).—Maj. H. O. D. Segrave, British racing driver, who set a new world speed record of 231.36 m. an hour here this week, declared late today he definitely had retired from automobile racing.

Maj. Segrave said he will return to England after competing in the Biscayne Bay regatta at Miami next week and will devote himself to the cement business. He will continue to engage in power boat racing as a hobby.

The Golden Arrow, specially designed for super speed racing, will be taken to New York for exhibition before it is transported to England to be placed in a museum.

The major had intended to attempt to raise his own land travel mark, but the tragic death of Lee Bible in the speedster Triplex yesterday ended the international speed trials, as the Britisher canceled further attempts at this time out of respect to L. M. White, winner of the Triplex, and the Bible family.

Bodies Taken Home. Meanwhile the bodies of Bible and Charles Traub, the Pathe News cameraman killed by the hurtling Triplex, were prepared for departure here tomorrow afternoon of two funeral parties. Bible's body, accompanied by his widow and 18-year-old daughter, Grace, will be taken to Rader, Tenn., where his mother resides. The body of Traub will go to Indianapolis for burial. It will be accompanied by the widow and other members of the family now in Florida.

Philadelphia, March 14 (A.P.).—Ray Keesh, who drove the Triplex to the world's record of 207 miles an hour at Daytona last year, expressed his sorrow today at the tragic end of Lee Bible's effort yesterday to break the new record of 231 miles.

Keesh has just returned from Daytona. He said that Bible was a good mechanic but had a very limited experience with racing cars.

Blames Steering in Crash. Keesh said he believes that Bible lost his death when he tried to right the Triplex by using the steering wheel. He explained that at a speed above 200 miles an hour the terrific wind pressure was merely split by the blunt nose of the Triplex, creating a vacuum in which the rear of the car "sucked" while the front was forced up by the wind getting under it.

London, March 14 (A.P.).—Maj. H. O. D. Segrave, British racing driver, was highly praised today by the Prince of Wales for setting a new world speed record at Daytona. Speaking at dinner of the Institute of Transport, of which the prince is honorary president, he said:

"I would like to describe Segrave as a hero. I had a look at the Golden Arrow a few days before he sailed for America and had a chat with him. I think without exaggeration that we can put his effort to regain the world speed record as one of the bravest, one of the most sporting efforts ever made."

"It wasn't as though he did not know what the game was. He did, and he left this country with a car that had never been tried out. It couldn't be—there is no room here to go at 200 miles an hour. It was an entirely new experiment from the moment he started, and I am sure that all of us take our hats off to Maj. Segrave as a brave man and with fine sportsmanship."

"We can only sympathize with him that the only thing that marred this wonderful success, this great triumph, was that his opponent from an entirely over the other side, his American opponent, was killed."

DIED
BLADEN—On Wednesday, March 13, 1929, at his residence, 1815 R. St., Hyattsville, Md., RUTH LOUISE, beloved wife of Wm. Bladen, aged 41 years.

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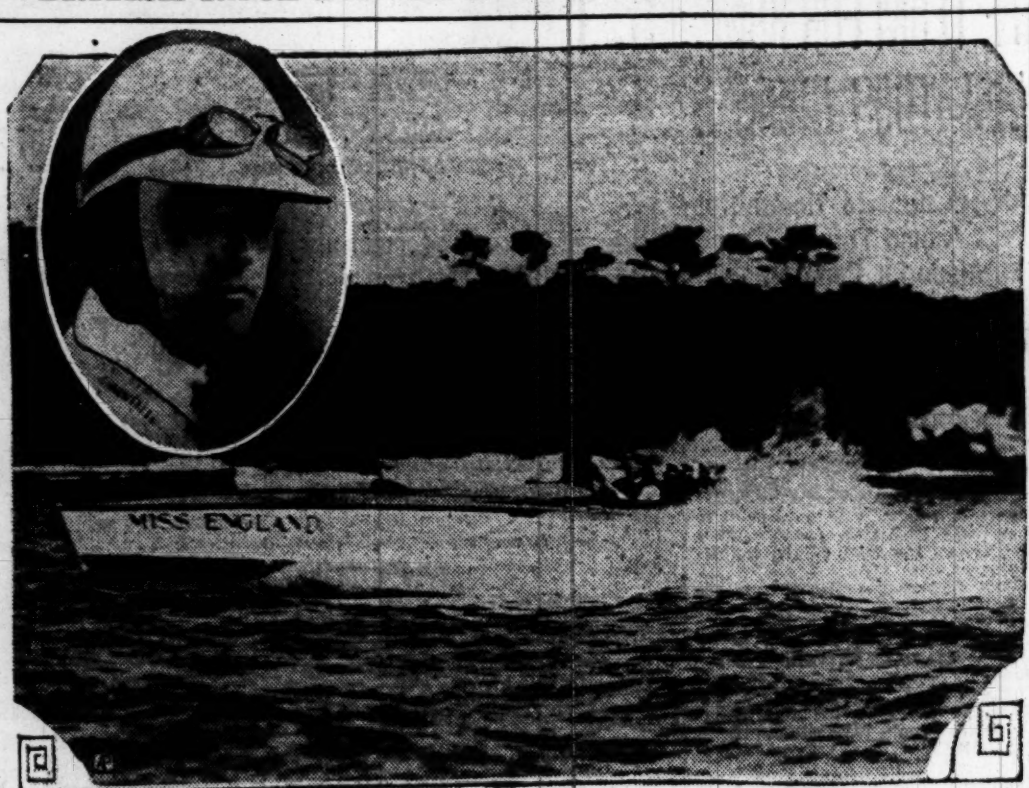
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SEARCH ABANDONED; BOY IS FEARED DEAD

Lad, 6, Is Still Missing in Nebraska Snowstorm as Quest of 500 Fails.

200 INDIANS WERE CALLED

Gordon, Neb., March 14 (A.P.).—Hope of finding 6-year-old Melvin Reeves alive has been abandoned and a search by several hundred men which has been pushed through a blinding snow storm for nearly 60 hours was given up tonight.

A search for his body will be made after the snow melts. Mr. and Mrs. William Reeves, parents of the lost boy, are near collapse. Mr. Reeves has remained doggedly on the search, ever since the lad was first missed. He had searched night and day, without food or sleep, hoping to find him alive.

Two hundred Indians from the Pine Ridge reservation and from Kyle, S. Dak., joined the search yesterday. They began a search by truck and wagon. They returned to their camps tonight when told by the boys' father that further search would be futile.

Melvin left his ranch home Tuesday morning with his 8-year-old brother, Dwight, to look for a mitten he had lost on his way home from school. The lost mitten was found and the two children started for home. Melvin was playing with a hoop and it rolled down in a canyon. Melvin pursued it, the older brother walking on ahead thinking his younger brother would soon catch up with him.

When Dwight arrived home he could see no sign of Melvin. After waiting a short while, the father grew anxious and began a search. A heavy mist turned to rain and the father temporarily abandoned his search to telephone to Gordon for help.

Before the searching party could arrive on the scene the rain turned into a blinding snowstorm.

By midnight 500 men were looking for the boy, but no trace of him could be found.

Nine Burned to Death in Montevideo Fire
Montevideo, Uruguay, March 14 (U.P.).—Nine persons, two of whom were burned to death today when they were trapped by flames in a small shoe factory.

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ROOT OR COURT PLAN TO BE FOUGHT TO FLY NORTHWARD

Opponents of Formula Laid Down for U. S. Entry Call It Impractical.

NEW RESERVATIONS SEEN

By ALBERT W. FOX.
American membership in the World Court is becoming more and more doubtful as the result of the efforts of the international jurists at Geneva are making under the leadership of Sir Cecil Hurst, of Great Britain, and Elihu Root, of the United States, to find a practical formula under which American adherence to a new protocol may be secured. No word has come from the White House or State Department as to how the proposed formula will be received, but enough has been learned from senatorial quarters to clearly indicate that the formula is regarded as unworkable and impractical and certain to be opposed when the day of reckoning comes with the Senate.

Secretary Kellogg said yesterday that Mr. Root has called the department a copy of his formula, but had not been in communication with the department since that time. Possibility of development of the World Court developments between President Hoover and Charles Evans Hughes, member of the court, is connected with a visit by Mr. Hughes to the White House, but it is generally agreed that the senatorial reaction here is the important consideration.

Senate Attitude Paramount. It is admitted by all, including Secretary of State Kellogg, that the Senate will have to act upon the new protocol providing for American membership in the court in December, 1929. Mr. Root's position has been that the court is part and parcel of the League of Nations and was so designed by its framers and continues to function as a political agency, an agency of the League of Nations.

Senator Swanson, author of the American reservations, and ranking Democrat member of the foreign relations committee, is a friend of the court, but it is known that Mr. Swanson, and other senators who are inclined to favor American membership, have insisted all along that America's terms, as outlined in the Swanson reservations, must be accepted.

Mr. Coolidge, in a speech made at Kansas City on Armistice Day, 1926, said that the foreign nations that America would not accept alterations to the Senate's terms. There was a nationwide commendation of this speech.

The fifth Senate reservation gives America the right to veto any action by the court on a request from the league which might injure the national honor or the national interest. These advisory opinions are important functions of the court, acting, as Mr. Root has explained it, as a legal adviser to the executive branch of the government, would have a power which no other nation could exercise.

Plan to Equalize Powers. The efforts now being made at Geneva are destined to equalize the powers of the league members, and the powers which the United States would have in vetoing opinions. At the same time the effort is being made by the jurists, including Sir Cecil Hurst, of Great Britain, and Mr. Root, to devise some practical plan whereby America's veto power can be nullified or rendered as harmless as possible.

According to terms of the fifth reservation, the court can not render any opinion which would have any effect in which the United States has an interest or claims to have an interest. Sir Cecil Hurst, however, has a representative of the United States be kept handy at Geneva to receive league communications and to advise the president of the United States as to the position of the United States in the particular matter under consideration of the international court. How this handsomely clothed with a power to commit the people of the United States to any decision the court might make, is a question which is causing comment in Senate circles.

Foresee Interpretation Clash. The question of whether America has, or claims to have, an interest in an international question, committing the people of the United States to definite obligations in the international field, is a question on which the Senate, as well as the executive branch of the United States, must pass, according to views expressed by the Senate.

The President might take the position that America has no interest in the particular controversy, while the Senate at the same time might be disposed to maintain that America has an interest. By Senate resolution and by action of the House of Representatives, the position of the United States might be guided along lines quite different from any suggestions at Geneva made by the American handymen assigned to receive communications from the league.

The Sir Cecil Hurst formula, providing for immediate withdrawal of America from the league in case the veto power is to be overridden, likewise presents an advance difficulty. It is explained that who is to decide when and if how America stays in or goes out in such an eventuality, it is asked, will not the Senate have to have a voice in this? Suppose, it is suggested, that the Senate wants America to withdraw and the executive branch wants America to stay in?

Speedy Action Not Likely. In any event, the prospect of speedy action by the United States in informing the league or the court of its position is not likely.

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REFUND PUBLICATION ON TAXES IS LAUDED

Independents Hail Hoover Order to Reveal Amounts in Excess of \$20,000.

ACTION WAS LONG SOUGHT

(United Press.) President Hoover's executive order yesterday opening for public inspection all tax refunds over \$20,000 and the particulars in such cases brought commendation from the Independent Republican-Democratic group in Congress which has fought for years for tax publicity.

The fight on Secretary of Treasury Mellon has come from leaders of this group, including Senators Coughs, Michigan, Norris, Nebraska, Republican, and McKellar, Tennessee, and Walsh, Montana, Democrat, and this move may have some effect in mollifying the brewing fight on the Treasury head at the next session.

Mellon issued the regulations for the publicity, but it was obvious the President was responsible for the policy, which is much broader than the legislation upon which it is based. Mellon explained the order was in line with the amendment to the deficiency bill by Senator McKellar which required only that amounts of refunds under the \$75,000,000 appropriated by Congress last session be made public.

Policy to Be Permanent. The Hoover order broadens the publicity beyond this specific requirement into a permanent policy and requires in addition that facts prompting the refund be made public.

Mellon, however, made it very clear that income tax payments will not be made public, and this was taken as an announcement of a definite Hoover policy on this long-controversial issue. Only tax refunds over \$20,000 of income, war profits, excess profits, estate or gift taxes are included. They will be made public by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue here.

The Independent Republican-Democratic group has long sought complete income tax publicity. This was voted once by Congress, but subsequently repealed. Committees of Congress now can inspect tax payments under special restrictions.

Complete Publicity Sought. The fight for complete publicity probably will be carried on, but there is no likelihood of any success. The President has a majority in both houses, and his concession on refunds will weaken the forces seeking complete publicity.

"It has been the consistent policy of the Treasury," Mellon explained, "a policy determined upon only after careful consideration and so to which ample opportunities have been offered repeatedly for reconsideration, that tax returns, and the information thereon, should under no circumstances be open to public inspection."

"This policy is based upon the principle that taxpayers should be permitted to contribute their share of the revenue necessities of the Government without subjecting their business affairs and transactions to the scrutiny of their competitors, the idly curious, solicitors of contributions, and unscrupulous tax practitioners seeking out possible future clients. This policy is not affected by the executive order."

Nothing to Hide. The Secretary explained that publication of the refunds and the reason for them will "show conclusively that the Treasury has nothing to hide in the matter of tax refunds; that there is nothing mysterious about tax refunds."

McKellar, who was one of the leaders in the fight for publicity of refunds and tax payments, likewise is the author of the resolution passed by the Senate authorizing an investigation by the judiciary committee into the question as to whether Mellon's name should have been sent to the Senate for confirmation by President Hoover, and also as to whether Mellon holds interest in liquor concerns in violation of the law.

This refund publicity order may diminish the vigor of the fight McKellar has started.

Miami-Peru Air Mail Line to Open in April

Buenos Aires, March 14 (A.P.).—Opening of an air mail line between Miami, Fla., and Mollendo, Peru, April 1, with Buenos Aires as the eventual terminal is the project of the Pan-American Airways, James D. Summers, vice president of the line, said here yesterday.

"The line will extend over Chile and Argentina," Mr. Summers explained, "as soon as the governments of these two countries grant authority. The principal points of call will be Miami, Key West, Havana, Merida (Mexico), Belize, Tegucigalpa, Managua, San Jose (Costa Rica), Colon, Panama, Bonaventura (Colombia), Caracas (Venezuela), Talara (Peru), Trujillo, Chimbote, Lima, Mollendo, Arequipa, Iquique (Chile), Antofagasta, Valparaiso, Santiago and Buenos Aires."

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Having hiked 9,000 miles through eleven countries since last September, Zundel and Nathan Rubin, 21, twins of Kovovo, Lithuania, stopped here yesterday to visit President Hoover. If they add \$1,000 more miles to their total by next September they will win \$15,000 from the Lithuanian government.

Associated Press Photo.

ROOSEVELT ASPIRES TO PHILIPPINE POST

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When Mrs. McCormick was for Lowden. That was one of those things, however, that did not interfere with personal friendships.

As to how Mr. Stimson might look upon the colonel's candidacy, he was a very close friend of his father. He did not bolt with him in the Bull Moose movement, but the friendship between them existed, nevertheless.

Would End Patronage Fight. Mr. Hoover is understood to have promised to try to straighten out the New York patronage fight in the next few weeks. He plans to have the patronage triumvirate which he named—W. K. Hill, H. Edmund Machold and James S. Parker—down in an effort to get it together with the New York Republican congressional bloc and it is probable that Roosevelt's name will come up at this time.

The congressional bloc has insisted that it should be the patronage arbiters in the absence of any Republican senators from New York and has named Representatives Bert Snell and James S. Parker as its patronage committee. The demand has been made on Mr. Hoover that he deal with these two men, instead of the triumvirate.

Roosevelt might be said, however, to occupy about the same position to the New York organization as does Col. Donovan. Neither of them was ever given much assistance by it. Roosevelt was permitted to have the gubernatorial nomination when it was known he would be slaughtered.

Nomination Now Means More. The Republican gubernatorial nomination has now come to mean more, though, with the elimination of Alfred E. Smith as the Democratic candidate, and the aspirants are falling over each other.

So the State is to witness some shrewd political moves in the next few months, as each aspirant tries to keep the other fellow from getting a point of vantage. The governor generalship of the Philippines would be one.

It is, in fact, a post not to be scoffed at under any circumstances. It undoubtedly would have met a very sympathetic reception with Col. Donovan had the circumstances been other than what they were.

Donovan is now out of the Government service. He was in the city earlier in the week, down from New York. It is understood he plans to maintain his residential establishment here. His friends say very confidently, though, that his mind is set against the Philippines post and that there is not a chance of his reconsidering.

President, It Is Said, Feels Break. This does not mean, however, that pressure is not still being brought to bear upon him to do so. Mr. Hoover is said to have felt this break with the colonel deeply—which, of course it was, notwithstanding the amenities publicly exchanged.

Roosevelt has proved that he is a hard man to down, and even the New York organization leaders will admit this. Immediately he is denied one place he bobs up after another. He was out at Kansas City, a hardy seeker for the vice presidency.

It would be a hard blow to those who spend no little of their time trying to keep him down were he to get the governor generalship.

HOOVER TO APPOINT M'DONNELL TO CHINA

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communications between Peking and the sea.

It has been known for some time that Charles MacVane, Ambassador to Japan, who is now in this country, was not planning to return to Tokyo. With the Peking post apparently destined to change hands, it seems logical that the vacancy at Tokyo should go to Mr. MacVane, whose long experience with the Far East and intimate contact with China in recent years is regarded as rendering him eminently fitted for the position. Mr. MacVane has twice served as counselor of embassy at Tokyo, first in 1917 and again in 1918-19.

The name of Chester H. Rowell, of California, has also been mentioned in connection with the Tokyo post, but is not believed to have been given consideration. Mr. Rowell, who is connected with the Institute of Pacific Relations, of which Ray Lyman Wilbur was president until he became Secretary of Interior, was in Washington yesterday and conferred with President Hoover, but denied that he had been offered the post.

Nelson T. Johnson, Assistant Secretary of State in charge of Far Eastern affairs, is expected to be retained in that position by President Hoover.

Stimson Leaves Honolulu for U. S.

Declines to Discuss Future Policies, Except to Hit Sugar Tax Plan.

Honolulu, March 14 (A.P.).—Henry L. Stimson, who will relinquish the governorship of the Philippines to become Secretary of State in President Hoover's Cabinet, arrived here today from Manila aboard the steamer President Pierce. He received an official welcome, and departed late in the day for San Francisco, where he is due March 20.

Col. Stimson expressed the belief that the American people would not "sanction a tax upon the Philippines' most important product—sugar." This, in his opinion, would be contrary to the modern free trade method of handling dominions and dependencies.

With a smile, Col. Stimson declined to discuss the future, but spoke with pride of the accomplishments of his year in the Philippines. He praised the Filipino leaders for the ability they had shown and the cooperation they had given him.

While not committing himself upon the question whether the Timberlake resolution to restrict imports of Philippine sugar to 500,000 tons annually duty free into the United States would bring up the Philippine independence issue again, the governor general asserted that the proposal to place a tariff against Philippine products was "inconsistent and illogical."

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ADM. WILEY NAMED TO GENERAL BOARD

Appointment of Former Fleet Commander One of Ten Flag Officer Shifts.

CHRISTY IS SENT TO SEA

Admiral Henry A. Wiley, recently succeeded as commander in chief of the United States fleet by Admiral William V. Pratt, battle fleet commander, will become a member of the general board of the Navy. His new duties are given in a list embodying changes of ten flag officers, announced yesterday by the Navy Department.

Rear Admiral Harley H. Christy, commander of the Fifteenth Naval District, Panama Canal Zone, will command battleship division 3 of the battle fleet, succeeding Rear Admiral L. A. Bostwick, who has received orders to command the battleship division of the battle fleet.

Rear Admiral Henry V. Butler, chief of staff of the United States fleet, will follow Rear Admiral Joseph M. Reeves, unassigned, in command of the aircraft squadrons of the battle fleet. Rear Admiral Frank H. Clark, commander of the destroyer squadrons of the scouting fleet, will assume command of light cruiser division 3, succeeding Rear Admiral George C. Day, who will become head of the board of inspection and survey.

Rear Admiral J. R. Y. Blakeley, commanding light cruiser division 2, on temporary duty with the Asiatic fleet, will follow Rear Admiral Joseph M. Reeves, unassigned, in command of the aircraft squadrons of the battle fleet. Rear Admiral Walter S. Croesley, who has been in command of train squadron 1 of the fleet base force, will attend the Naval War College, Newport, R. I.

Changes in captains' assignments include transfer of Arthur J. Hepburn, chief of staff, battle fleet, to the same position on the United States fleet, succeeding Rear Admiral Butler; Arthur St. C. Smith, chief of staff, battleship division, to chief of staff, battle fleet; John W. Greenleaf, U. S. S. Pennsylvania, to chief of staff, battleship division; Sinclair Gannon, commanding U. S. S. New York, to chief of staff, scouting fleet.

Army Officer's Suicide Laid to Family Discord

Panama City, Panama, March 14 (A.P.).—Worries of an unhappy married life are believed to have actuated the suicide of Lieut. Henry J. McCord, of Fort Clayton, near here. He shot himself through the head this morning. Mrs. McCord some time ago filed suit for divorce, charging extreme cruelty. He had been summoned to appear in court March 20. His body, accompanied by his wife, is being shipped aboard the U. S. S. Chateau Thierry for burial at Arlington Cemetery.

The Army Register lists Lieut. McCord as a second lieutenant of infantry, commissioned in 1924 from his native State of Kansas.

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LIFE TERM FOR RUM VIOLATORS DOOMED

Michigan Senate Committee Sees Armed Transporting Alone for Penalty.

DRY LEADER IS ASSAILED

Lansing, Mich., March 14 (A.P.).—Michigan's "life for a pint" law received a vital blow today and at the same time the Rev. R. M. Holapple, superintendent and lobbyist of the Michigan Antislavery League, was subjected to one of the periodical attacks made upon him on the floor of the legislature.

It now is probable that only transportation of liquor while armed will be left under the provisions of the habitual criminal law which makes a life sentence mandatory upon conviction of a fourth liquor offense of any sort. The senate judiciary committee now holds a bill amending the State criminal code to exempt from life imprisonment under the habitual criminal law all felonies which do not draw a maximum penalty of at least five years upon a first offense. That automatically would exempt liquor offenses as the maximum penalty for a first dry law violation now is two years.

The amendment was being held in committee, however, because of a rider measure sent to the senate by the lower house, increasing the liquor penalty to five years and thus replacing it in the potential "life" class.

The rider measure was reported to the floor today, however, with a change which would make the first maximum penalty four years. The blanket amendment removing approximately 120 "minor" felonies from the threat of life imprisonment, having administrative support, already has been passed by the lower house, and is expected to be approved in the senate without serious opposition now that the second "joker" bill is safely on the floor.

One of the senate's oldest members and most outstanding drys, Senator Peter B. Lennon, launched the attack on Holapple. He charged the dry league superintendent with misrepresentation of facts in his lobbyist activities and said his force was to "snatch the glory of legislation rather than to aid in enforcing the laws that are on the books."

It was the third time within the last month that Holapple has been assailed on the floor of the senate, once being forced to retreat when Senator Cass J. Jankowski, of Detroit, summoned a sergeant-at-arms and threatened to eject him from the capital bodily.

Death of Babe Ruth's Wife Held Accidental

Waltham, Mass., March 14 (A.P.).—The death of Mrs. Helen Ruth, wife of Babe Ruth, who lost her life during a fire at the home of Dr. Edward H. Kinder in Watertown two months ago, was "purely accidental" and "was not due to any unlawful act on the part of any other person," according to the finding announced today by Judge Michael J. Connelly, of the Waltham District Court, who conducted an inquest on her death.

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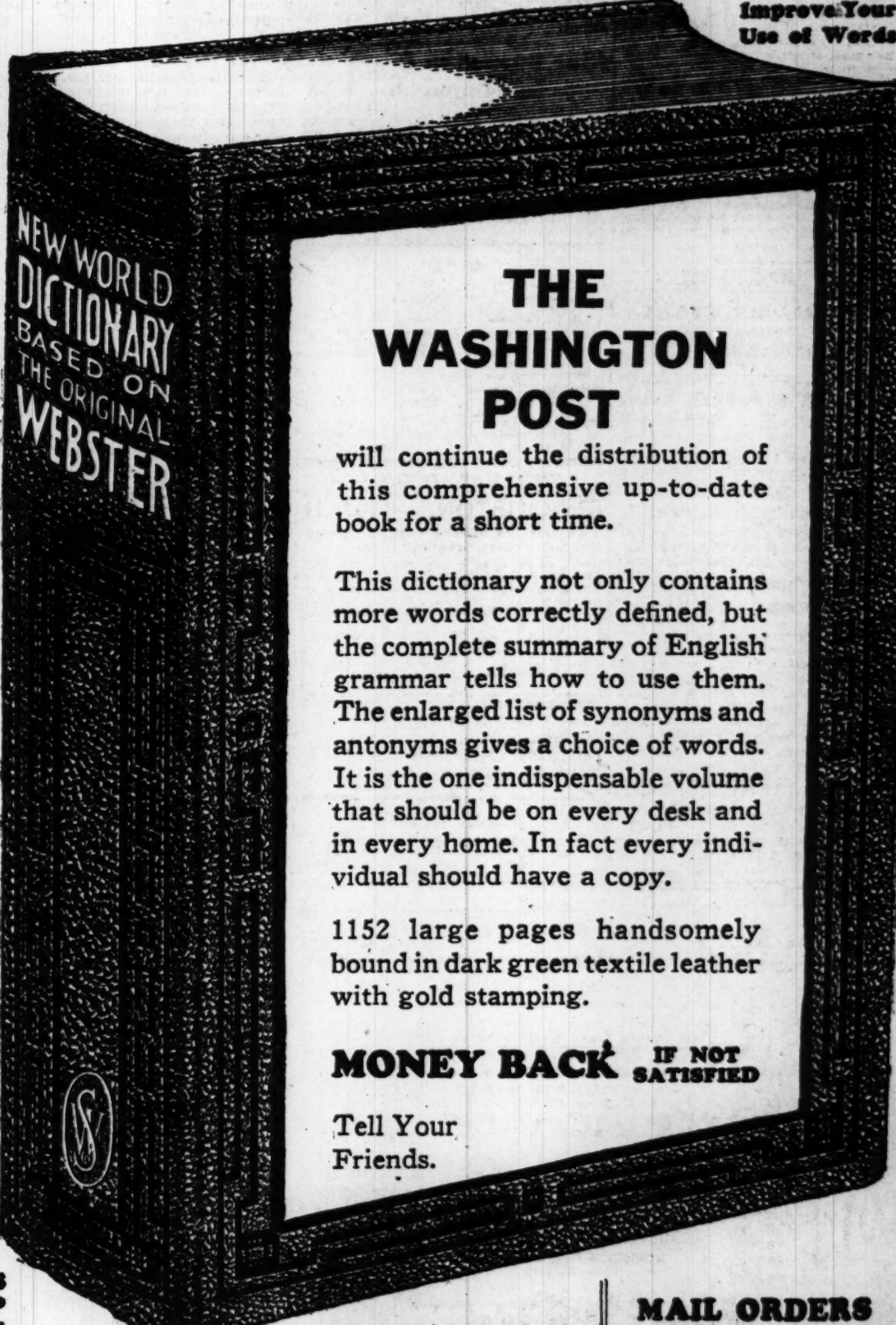
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MUSCLE SHOALS OBSOLETE.

While Congress has been wrangling for years over putting the Government in business through the operation of the plant at Muscle Shoals, private enterprises have been busy building up a nitrogen industry which will completely supply the needs of the United States. Private industry has far surpassed the objective sought by Congress when the nitrate plants were first begun at Muscle Shoals.

Accomplishments of industrial leaders in this field were explained to members of the Franklin Institute last night by Charles J. Brand, executive secretary of the National Fertilizer Association. His statement is significant because it means that the United States is no longer dependent upon foreign countries for nitrates. The domestic supply is now sufficient for the manufacture of munitions for national defense and will almost supply agricultural needs in time of peace.

When the United States entered the World War it was largely dependent upon the importation of nitrate of soda from Chile to carry out its munitions program. The need for a domestic supply was immediately obvious. In 1913 this country produced but 32,400 tons. It is now estimated that the domestic production for 1929 will total 230,000 tons, or more than five times the quantity hoped for from the Muscle Shoals plant operating at maximum capacity. "By 1931," Mr. Brand said, "the United States will be practically free from the actual necessity of importing Chilean nitrate."

Production of nitrogen is rapidly increasing in other countries also, and the net result should be a reduction of the price to farmers. Development of the industry in this country will have the double benefit of helping agriculture and giving assurance of munitions in case of emergency. The industry has been built up much more effectively than the Government could have done it. The desired end has been achieved without further involving the Government in business. The result may be considered another triumph of private over public enterprise.

VALLEY FORGE.

Because of the approach of the 200th anniversary of George Washington's birth much interest has been shown in preserving historic relics and places connected with his name. Plans for a memorial auditorium in Washington, and for the restoration of Wakefield, the estate on which he was born, are receiving public attention.

"Places which perpetuate the memory of Washington draw constant streams of visitors. These include Mount Vernon, Christ Church, the Masonic lodge of which he was a member in Alexandria, Phillips Manor in York, Washington headquarters in Newburgh, and many others. But Valley Forge has not been completely preserved. The Pennsylvania State commission is still in disagreement over the proposed enlargement of the park at Valley Forge to include all the land of that historic camping ground and the necessary forest area to protect it.

Every effort has been made to prevent the State from acquiring the 3,500 acres needed. A recent discovery in the proposed addition may prove to be the foundation of the old forge which gave this famous place its name. The State Senate appropriations committee, now in charge of the project, is dealing with a matter of national interest, and it is to be hoped that it will make every effort to insure complete preservation of Valley Forge.

MAKING MEDICAL SCIENCE AVAILABLE.
A social service committee has undertaken a survey of the cost of medical services paid by the average family. During the coming year 100 Washington families will be studied and accurate records kept of charges by physicians, the number of visits paid and services rendered. The survey should throw some light on the medical needs of the average American family and indicate whether or not people in moderate circumstances are given adequate medical care.

The survey was undertaken after Dr. Niles Carpenter, welfare expert, had informed the organization that the middle class pays more than it can afford for medical attention. Dr. Carpenter is not alone in his opinion. At a meeting of the Pennsylvania Hospital Association this week Philip H. Gadsden, president of the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce, asserted that hospitals in this country are available to only the very rich and the very poor. This means, he said, that approximately 70 percent of the people who can not avail themselves of free treatment lack the advantage of hospital aid. His estimate is probably an exaggeration, but it suggests an interesting field for study by public health officials and welfare workers.

Science is making steady advancement in the prevention and cure of disease and further

discoveries in this field may be expected from the large number engaged in medical research. However, the discovery of a remedy does not always make it available to the public. The usefulness of any discovery of this kind depends upon its adaptation to the public need. Thousands of lives are lost annually because remedies of science are not available to the victims of disease.

A survey designed to show what percentage of the population can not afford hospital treatment should bring out some important statistics. Without question there is need for a movement making scientific remedies and expert treatment available to more people. Wider use of present knowledge for promotion of health might prove of greater value than new discoveries.

AMERICANS NOT WANTED.

The British General Electric Co. denies to American stockholders "rights" to newly issued shares of stocks. Some time ago the directors of the company took the voting privilege away from holders of the common issue because of their fear that control of the company had passed through stock purchases to American hands. The stock continued to be in demand on the New York curb, however, and now the unprecedented and more radical step has been taken. New shares are being issued at below the market price, and American stockholders contend that by not being permitted to subscribe to their purchase they are being deprived of their property rights in the company.

At a shareholders' meeting this week, Sir Hugo Hirst, chairman of the board, explained that the British General Electric Co. always has been regarded as a strictly British concern and has derived no small amount of its strength from the cooperation it receives from British shareholders, both in the home and empire markets. It is therefore absolutely vital, he said, that apart from control its British character should be preserved. "We are sorry to have to be the pioneer in this matter," he said further, "but we are satisfied we shall have imitators either voluntary or as a result of legislation. We know of no other way to preserve the character of this business."

Sir Hugo's assertion that there will be imitators of the drastic step taken by General Electric refers to the possibility of parliamentary action looking toward the retention of British industry under British control. For this reason the General Electric action is of great importance. It sets a precedent that may exert profound effect upon American capital invested in England, amounting, it is conservatively estimated, to hundreds of millions of dollars. What appeal will British industry have for American investors if they must forfeit their voice in the management of their investment and if they must expect to be deprived of excess earnings of their companies that are passed out to British shareholders in the form of discounted "rights"?

This is the important consideration to British industry. American holders of General Electric stock have announced their determination to appeal to the courts for redress. Whether they win or lose, the General Electric Co. has emphasized the fact that American stockholders are not wanted in British industry. A week or so ago the government committee on industry and trade, formed by the prime minister in 1924 to study conditions and prospects with a view of discovering what was wrong with British industry and what could be done to put it on its feet, issued its final report, in which was contained the following phrase:

It is abundantly clear that the first step to put British industries in a position to compete successfully in the overseas market is to subject their organization to a thorough process of reconditioning. At all costs, access to new capital must be regained.

Where is British industry to gain new capital in any considerable volume if not from the United States? How does the General Electric program fit in with the suggestion of the committee on industry and trade?

PRESERVE TIMBER, TOO.

In 1925 a national committee on wood utilization was organized and Herbert Hoover, then Secretary of Commerce, was appointed chairman. As a cabinet member he took an active interest in forest conservation, and now that he has become President it may be assumed that he will attack the problem of reforestation.

Figures released by the Department of Commerce emphasize the need of a constructive policy with respect to Federal timber lands, and at the same time reveal the inactivity of the Government. Millions of acres in national forests are in need of replanting, and when private forest land is added to this there is a total of 90,000,000 acres, now unproductive, which might be growing valuable timber crops. It is a serious reflection on the Government that New York State plants more trees annually than the Federal Forest Service. The United States plants only one-tenth as many trees as does Japan, and only one-half as many as Great Britain.

Use of timber and its products is constantly increasing, while the remaining forests are being depleted. The United States has approximately 470,000,000 acres of land chiefly valuable for growing timber. The country faces a timber shortage, besides destruction of valuable watersheds. All but 130,000,000 acres of forest have been cut over, and the most accessible timber has already been exhausted.

"The welfare of the Nation," said Mr. Hoover, "is to a large extent dependent on the perpetuation of our forests." The country must curtail its use of timber or grow more. It is of foremost importance that the problem of reforestation be tackled in the present administration, and no doubt President Hoover will do it. His determination to preserve the oil supply is an indication of his policy toward the timber supply.

PLENTY OF FARMERS LEFT.

For 20 years the farm population has been decreasing. Politicians, sociologists and others have decried the cityward shift to no avail. Schemes for making youth contented to remain on the farm have failed to stop the trek toward town. Today, according to the Department of Agriculture, farm population has reached the lowest point since 1909. On January 1 there were 37,511,000 persons dwelling on farms, as compared with 27,699,

000 persons on January 1, last year, and 32,090,000 in 1909. The decrease last year would have been much greater had there not been an excess of births over deaths, for the movement from farms amounted to 1,960,000 persons, whereas the movement toward farms amounted to but 1,362,000 persons.

Publication of the figures unquestionably will serve to renew the demand that something be done to keep people on the farms and to attract them from the crowded city streets to the open country. But what can be done to further this end? In the final analysis it is important that the cityward movement be halted. From the sociological standpoint it may be advisable to urge youth to stay on the farm. Unquestionably many persons, striving against fearful odds to keep body and soul together in factories or in urban employment, would be far happier, healthier and generally better off if they dwelt in the country. But from the economic standpoint, is it wise or advisable to try to check the cityward drift of population?

Dwindling farm population has been accompanied by increased agricultural productivity. The fact that fewer farmers today are taking care of an increased national population and are also producing a troublesome surplus is an indication of increased efficiency. Farming is developing into a larger scale operation. Farm machinery has made possible the saving of labor, and the decreasing demand for horse feed has made possible the utilization of additional acreage for the production of staples. It may be that a point will be reached when acreage under cultivation will no longer produce enough to feed the population; but there is no such problem now.

It is the less efficient farmer who is leaving the farm. Why should there be greater concern over his failure than there is over that of a storekeeper who is forced to bow before a more efficient competitor?

ROTTEN BOROUGH.

From the New York World.

Mr. Hoover spoke in his inaugural address of the importance of preserving "respect for all law" and of the Government's duty to "enforce all law." Doubtless Mr. Hoover will shortly be preparing his message for the special session, outlining a program for its work. With all respect for his wish to limit the work of the session to farm relief and the tariff, many people will feel that there is one object apart from these questions to which he should direct attention. Believing in the importance of "respect for all law," he might well remind Congress of Article I of our fundamental law, the Constitution:

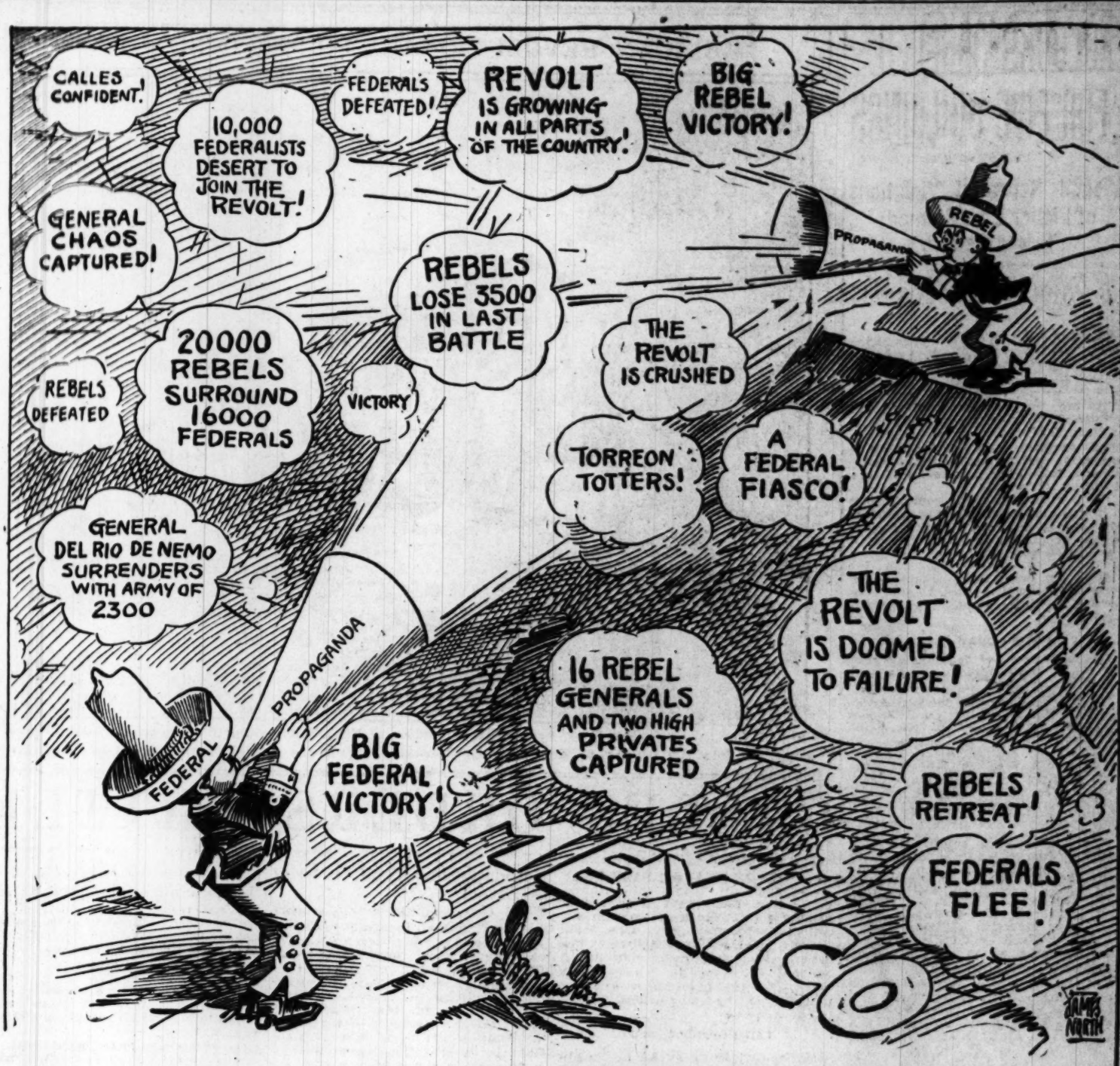
Representatives and direct taxes shall be apportioned among the several States which may be included within this Union, according to their respective numbers, which shall be determined by the actual enumeration shall be made within three years after the first meeting of the Congress of the United States, and within every subsequent term of ten years, in such manner as they shall be laid by law.

This is obviously a special kind of law, and its disregard is a special kind of lawlessness. The fact that after thirteen successive reapportionments the constitutional mandate has for the first time been disregarded for a decade does not strike many citizens with a sense of direct outrage. Yet a reflective American might find reasons for thinking that a conscientious observance of Article I of the Constitution is as important as that of the eighteenth amendment.

It is vitally important because it affects the basis of democratic government. The great evil that a representative legislative system can face is the development of a rotten-borough system. There has never been a period in our history when this evil did not have a partial grip upon some States. It required a long generation after the Revolution for Virginia and South Carolina to break it down. Rhode Island is just shaking loose from a fragment form of it; New York City and Chicago know what it means. Every effort was long made to prevent it from gaining a foothold in our Federal system. The Constitution makers guaranteed every State a fair representation according to population. When it was found that some States were electing all their representatives at large, so that the majority gained all the seats and the minority none, Congress interfered. By the law of 1842 it required the States to choose their representatives by districts which must be of contiguous territory and approximately equal in population. Decade after decade Congress manfully did its duty in reapportionment, no matter which State suffered. Not once till 1920 did it fail to pass a reapportionment act within eighteen months after the census year.

How far are we along the road to a rotten-borough system today? Farther than most people think. In California two members represent Los Angeles districts whose population is, in round figures, 1,500,000 and 1,300,000. In Michigan there is one district with from 750,000 to 800,000 people. At the opposite end of the scale are districts which do not count 150,000 people. The State of Iowa, with an estimated population of 2,430,000 today, has eleven members in the House; while Los Angeles County, with almost 3,000,000 people, has two members. Kansas, with an estimated population of 1,835,000, has eight representatives; while a section of Michigan of equal population, including Detroit, elects three representatives. As always in a rotten-borough system, the beneficiaries are finding amusements for perpetuating such inequalities. Senator Capper, of Kansas, rails against the aliens of the big cities; Senator Black, of Alabama, declares the system of "major fractions," used in 1910, unsound. The opponents of reapportionment intrench themselves behind one specious excuse after another, but always the opponents come from States which would lose representatives and electoral votes.

If Mr. Hoover speaks the word, this question can be brought before Congress for settlement now and before respect for the first article of the Constitution is further undermined. The Penn bill passed the House at the last session; only the threat of a filibuster stopped it in the Senate. It is important that action be taken at once, for if we wait till after the 1930 census the obstruction may gain new force. Mr. Hoover can, if he wishes, prevent the prolongation of a serious injustice and revive an important part of the Constitution at the special session.



LOVE-THEFT PLAIN IS TACKLED TO DOOR

One-Time Stenographer to
Typewriter King Summoned
in Alienation Suit.

LONG EVADED OFFICERS

New York, March 14 (N.Y.W.N.S.).—The door of apartment No. 62 in No. 37 West Fifty-fifth street, wherein Miss Helen C. Meade, a process server today tacked a paper which said that Miss Meade had "wifely, wickedly and maliciously stolen the affections" of George E. Smith, millionaire president of the Royal Typewriter Co., all the world, had it been passing down the plush-carpeted corridor that led before the front door of Miss Meade, might have stopped to read the copy of the complaint filed in the matrimonial battle of the Smiths. On January 2 of this year he filed suit for divorce in Nassau County, where he lives at Great Neck, alleging improper conduct on the part of his wife with unnamed men.

This action, for a third skirmish in the marital battle of the Smiths. On January 2 of this year he filed suit for divorce in Nassau County, where he lives at Great Neck, alleging improper conduct on the part of his wife with unnamed men.

Ms. Smith filed a counter-suit, seeking \$5,000 monthly alimony, \$15,000 counsel fees and other items. She said that Smith had, since 1923, been supporting Miss Meade and had, several times, entertained her in their home at Great Neck.

On February 13, through her attorneys, William J. Rapp and Charles H. Smith, Jr., Mrs. Smith made a second attack. She filed the alienation of affections suit against her husband's former stenographer, but the fact that this suit had been filed was not made known until today.

From February 13 to March 9, process servers tried vainly to serve Miss Meade with a copy of the complaint and a summons. Miss Meade simply would not be served, she could not be found. Attempts were made to serve her in a hair-dressing shop, without avail. Attempts at her home were equally unavailing.

Mrs. Smith's lawyers asked Justice Alfred H. Townley to allow substitute service, and he signed the order today, substituting service by mailing a copy of complaint and summons to the defendant, as well as tacking one on the door if no one at the address will receive it.

That is how Miss Meade came to have the complaint posted on her door. Aside from the "wicked theft of affections" paper, says Miss Meade, "maliciously deceived" George E. Smith could be reached today. Mrs. Smith was reported to be out of town, as was her husband.

**Foch's Heart Is Again
Failing, Doctors Fear**

Paris, March 14 (A.P.).—Two months ago today Marshal Foch collapsed under a heart attack which soon was complicated with uremic trouble and congestion of a lung. Tonight three doctors who have been calling on him daily were greatly perturbed over what they term "subnormal temperature."

The doctors fear that the marshal's heart is weakened to such an extent that it now falls to beat the blood coursing through his body with its usual vigor. Foch has fallen into such a state of weakness that he is at the mercy of the slightest complication.

The marshal, however, is putting up a real fight for recovery, the doctors said. His temperature was 98.4 and his pulse 90.

**Newswriters in Jail
With Rioting Students**

London, March 14 (A.P.).—Spanish students continued agitation in Madrid throughout the day and evening without serious result except for the bruising of several students in police charges to scatter the groups. Numerous articles were made, including several newspaper men, and all were sent to the Model Prison.

A number of students, hearing a false report that a comrade wounded a few days ago had died, went to the mortuary, but left quietly when they learned that he was better. Reports from the provinces show that the movement has extended there. In San Diego and Salamanca students defaced street signs dedicated to Premier Primo de Rivera and Vice Premier Martinez Anido.

**Coolidge Sent Congress
103 Messages in Session**

(United Press.)—New evidence that President Coolidge was not as silent as usually portrayed was made public yesterday by the House bill room, which showed he sent 103 messages to Congress during the seventeenth session, which adjourned March 4.

The Congress in its two years of existence considered 18,180 bills and resolutions and enacted 1,722 into laws. Nine of the bills were omnibus pension bills, containing 7,620 private bills.

**Vaudeville Singer Held
In Death of Companion**

Los Angeles, March 14 (A.P.).—George Denny Washington, negro vaudeville singer, today was charged with manslaughter in connection with the death last Monday of Irma Reese, 20, cafe entertainer.

It was alleged that Washington drove his automobile in such a reckless manner that the negro girl was thrown from the car against a guy wire and killed.

PRIVATE CAR OF POPE OVERHAULED



Not since 1870 has this glittering railway car been used. It belongs to the Vatican and 59 years ago was seized by Italian soldiers. It has been taken from a museum and will be overhauled.

MUSSOLINI REVEALS HOW HE BARRED MORE LAND FOR POPE

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Bishops will also take the oath of loyalty to the Italian state, swearing to make the clergy respect the monarch and government and see that they abstain from subversive action.

Mussolini stresses that article 8, whereby the Italian state undertakes to give particulars of trials of clergy charged with common crimes to ecclesiastical superiors, or allow them to occupy cells apart from lay criminals, unless the church has unfrocked them.

Through henceforth religious communities will be judicial entities, the state reserves the right to authorize such communities' purchases of real estate or to intervene in the administration of such when the communities fail to do so properly. This, says the pope, will fully guard against revival of ancient abuses.

Reorganizing of Dioceses. The Lateran treaty, he says, provides that diplomats accredited to the Holy See may continue to live in Rome. As the Vatican State is declared neutral and inviolable by the treaty, correspondence between the Holy See and all states will remain free and unimpeded, even if the said states happen to be at war with Italy.

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**Engineers' Chapter Boosts
Him to Fill Vacancy
on Commission.**

K. P. Armstrong, of the Rhode Island Avenue Citizens Association and the Washington Chapter, American Association of Engineers, was today urged by the vacancy in the Public Utility Commission by the engineers' association at its meeting last night at the Playhouse, 1814 N. street northwest.

Dr. Morton G. Lloyd, of the Bureau of Standards, was the speaker of the evening. He explained the Hare proportional representation system of electing to office and told how it might be used in selecting members of the Citizens Advisory Council. A resolution urging the Federation of Engineers Associations to consider this method was adopted by the engineers.

The chapter also went on record for clearer streets in the District and officials were urged to ask for additional funds, if necessary, to provide this improvement. A plea for more adequate building construction inspection was referred to the legislative committee, of which F. H. Newell is chairman.

**Visors on Auto Lights
Are Banned by Court**

Drivers of automobiles, the headlights of which are equipped with metal visors, are liable to arrest for having improper lights, according to a ruling of Judge Ralph Given yesterday in Traffic Court.

Lester Jones, colored, 35 years old, of 1222 R street northwest, was arrested by Patrolman Raymond V. Sinclair, of the Traffic Bureau, on the charge Wednesday night. The policeman informed Judge Given that the metal light shields had not been approved by the Traffic Bureau. In rainy weather, the shields have a tendency to blind oncoming drivers, the policeman said. Judge Given convicted Jones but freed him on his personal bond.

DEAD USELESS WORDS.

Have Been Omitted by the Lexicographers of the New Dictionary

In the work of years which have been necessary to bring the New World Dictionary to completion, the editors have recognized the demand for the addition of the useful and necessary words and the elimination of the useless and unnecessary words. As to all words which have served in a long vanished period and are no longer applicable there has been no hesitation in relegating them to the limbo of the past. Obviously the omission of the obsolete has made more room for the new, therefore thousands of new words, many never before published in a Dictionary, have found a place in this new volume and the whole vocabulary from A to Z is in alphabetical order. The Dictionary coupon is printed in another column of this paper. Three of these clipped on consecutive days is necessary to obtain this new reliable authority on words at a mere nominal price.

PURCHASE OF BONDS ADVISED BY MELLON

Secretary Urges Investors to
Turn From Stocks to
Other Securities.

SPECULATION CURB FAILS

(Associated Press.) Secretary Mellon, who also is chairman of the Federal Reserve Board, which has endeavored to check the use of Federal Reserve credit in speculation, said yesterday that despite the fact that many investors were putting their money into stocks, now is a good time for prudent investors to buy industrial and Government bonds. He said that while there were good stock investments available, the prices of some stocks were too high, the prices of bonds were low and interest rates on them high.

"Since the market on bonds is not particularly good now, there are not many new issues being put out," Secretary Mellon said. "In making a forecast I would say that this is a good time for the prudent investor to buy bonds. This doesn't mean that many stocks are not good buys. Some, however, are too high for sound investment. It is easier to pick out sound bonds than sound stocks."

Mr. Mellon said he did not feel that the fact that there was a good buyers' market for bonds would have any appreciable effect on speculation. The Federal Reserve Board, in its efforts to curb speculation, has met with little success thus far. For two weeks after the warning that Federal Reserve credit must not be used to support speculative borrowing, loans to brokers and dealers by New York member banks declined \$192,000,000.

In the next two weeks, however, loans made by corporations and individuals increased slightly and loans made by the New York member banks and out-of-town banks nearly wiped out the decrease. For the week ending March 6 the loans made by corporations and individuals were just \$1,000,000 less than the total loans made by all banks to brokers and dealers in New York.

**Maeterlinck Play
Given at Y. M. C. A.**

**"The Blue Bird" Enacted by
Girl Cast Proves Success;
To Be Repeated.**

The business and professional women of the Young Women's Christian Association last night presented "The Blue Bird," by Maurice Maeterlinck, at the association building at Seventeenth and K streets northwest, under direction of Mrs. Alice Sigworth Moore. Ruby F. Collins, as Tyltyl, the young boy who is accompanied by his sister, Mytyl, played by Margaret E. Ringrose, in search of the blue bird of happiness, which in the end he finds at his home, took the leading role. The entire cast was composed of women.

Florence Sauer, as Night, played an effective part in the scene in the Palace of Night, as queen of the ghosts and stars. Lillian M. Frizel amused the audience with a dance in which she represented A Cold in the Head, spreading the contagion of her sneezes. The play will be presented again tonight at 8:15 o'clock.

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AGENCIES' DEMANDS UPON CHEST SMALL

12 Said to Have Funds Left
Over From 1928; One Has
Ample for Year.

AUDITOR MAKES REPORT

The auditing committee of the Community Chest reported yesterday that up to March 1 affiliated agencies had been paid \$128,016.49. This represents less than 10 per cent of the total asked for the 57 agencies during the recent campaign, and this is due to the fact that many of the agencies had a surplus left from last year or from gifts received previous to the campaign that made it unnecessary for them to call on the chest for any part of the funds due so far, the committee pointed out. Expenditures for a number of agencies also will not be heavy until late in the summer, it was explained.

The Child Welfare Society, the Columbia Polytechnic Institute for the Blind, the Parent-Teacher Association, the Disabled American Veterans, the American Legion, the Georgetown University Hospital, the George Washington University Hospital, the Girl Scouts, the Instructive Visiting Nurse Society, the Jewish Welfare Federation, the Juvenile Protective Association and St. Rose's Technical School are among the agencies reported to have funds left over from last year.

One agency, the Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis, will need no money from the chest this year, the committee said, pointing out that the association's sale of Christmas seals during the last Yuletide would care for all 1929 expenses.

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Columbia Hospital Director Is Named

Geneva, N. Y., Institution's
Head Will Succeed
Dr. W. P. Morrill.

Dr. Sterling B. Ragdale, of Geneva, N. Y., has been appointed superintendent of the Columbia Hospital for Women, succeeding Dr. Warren P. Morrill. It was announced yesterday. Dr. Morrill will leave for Portland, Me., to be superintendent of the general hospital there as soon as Dr. Ragdale is installed.

The Columbia Hospital, through the aid of the Community Chest, is now in better financial shape than for many years, Dr. Morrill said. He also believes that a new budget system which he recently worked out, will enable the institution to show a profit from now on.

Dr. Ragdale, who is 44 years of age, was born in Alabama. He received his M. D. degree from the University of Nashville, Tenn., in 1908, going from there to New York, where he served his internship. Since that time, he has served as superintendent of hospitals in the East, being for the past five years at the head of Geneva Hospital. He is married and has one daughter, 14 years old.

The FREE Educational Bureau of the Washington Post will be glad to supply you with booklets and other information on Schools and Colleges in and out of Washington.

CAPITAL SOCIETY EVENTS

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Mrs. John Carson, Mrs. James E. Collier, Mrs. M. Louise Darr, Mrs. Sarah E. Deeds, Miss Elizabeth Dolan, Miss Alice E. Donnelly, Mrs. James F. Hartnett, Dr. Charles V. Hayden, Mrs. Isabella Henneman, Mrs. Edwin B. Higgins, Mrs. Emma Hughes, Mrs. Morris J. Keane, Mr. Homer L. Kitt, Mr. Howard Moran, Mrs. John J. O'Donoghue, Miss Margaret O'Leary, Miss Catherine Ann O'Neill, Mrs. Joseph E. Parent, Mrs. Lewis A. Payne, Mrs. Margaret Smith, Mr. George Thomas and Mrs. John Tierney.

Mrs. Samuel Williams Earle, recording secretary general of the Daughters of the American Revolution, is at the Hotel Dennis in Atlantic City. Mrs. Earle, accompanied by Miss Alma Earle Adams, of Elizabeth, is getting ready for the national convention of the D. A. R. in Washington April 19.

Past Commander in Chief of the G. A. R., Mr. F. A. Walsh, and his family have returned to their home in Milwaukee, Wis., after passing some time at the Fair.

The Home Economics Association will entertain at tea Sunday from 4:30 to 6 o'clock at the Grace Dodge Hotel in honor of Mrs. Louise McDaniell Browne, president, who is sailing this spring to pass eighteen months in Europe. The

guests will be received by the eleven members of the executive committee, headed by Dr. Lillian Skornia, vice president. Dr. Louise Stanley will preside at the tea table and will be assisted by Miss Gertrude Warren, Miss Helen Atwater and Miss Alice Edwards.

Mrs. M. Hugh Irish will be hostess to the International Association of Art and Letters for its annual St. Patrick's tea Sunday, from 4 to 6 o'clock at her home, 1322 P street northeast. No cards have been issued.

The District League of American Pen Women entertained the members of the executive board at the clubhouse, 1108 Sixteenth street, Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. John Mock presided at the tea table. M. Felix Garcia, pianist, played.

Last evening the club group held a reception at the clubhouse for Mrs. Henry P. Dimock and Mrs. Harry Lee Rust. Mrs. Dimock is chairman of the Washington Memorial Association and Mrs. Rust is chairman of the Wakefield Memorial Association.

On March 20 the fine arts group will hold a reception at the clubhouse for Mr. Clifford Bergman, from 4 to 6 o'clock. Mrs. Ell Helmick will preside at the tea table.

Mrs. Richard Yates and Mrs. Theodore Tiller have invited the members of the league to a reception in honor of the District president, Mrs. Aaron Newman, at the home of Mrs. Tiller, 3430 Mount Pleasant street, Wednesday, from 4 to 6 o'clock, when Mrs. Yates and Mrs. Tiller

will give an exhibition of their own art. Mrs. Charles Augustus Hawley will give a reception at her home, 1028 Connecticut avenue, on March 22, from 4 to 6 o'clock, in honor of Mrs. Bonnie Busch, following the celebrity breakfast.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Gans have returned from a trip to Old Point Comfort, Va., where they passed several days at the Chamberlin-Vanderbilt Hotel.

Rockefeller Homeward Bound. Cairo, Egypt, March 14 (A.P.).—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and his party started home today after completing a visit to Egypt and Palestine. When Mr. Rockefeller arrived at Cairo, January 21, he said he had come to Egypt for rest and sunshine.

Band Concert

MARINE BAND ORCHESTRA. Auditorium Marine Barracks, 3 P. M. March, "Waldmire"..... Von Blos "Japanese Moonlight"..... From "Oh, That We Two Were Marine"..... "Value Blue"..... "The Halls of Montezuma"..... "The Star-Spangled Banner".....

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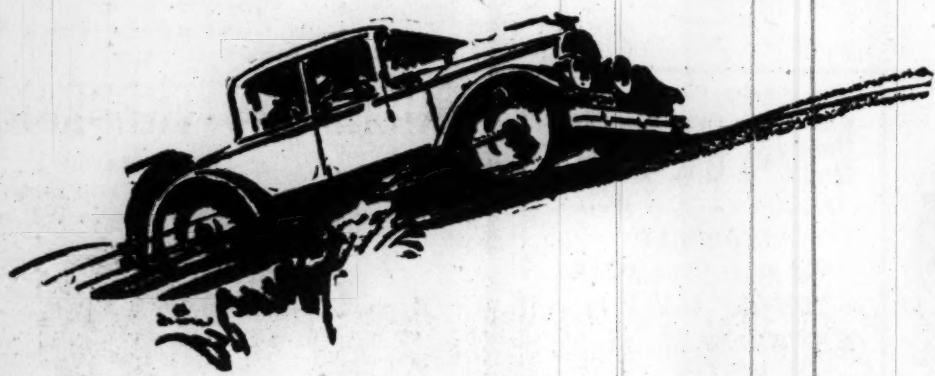
Moonbeam, Ont., March 14 (A.P.).—Capt. Roy W. Maxwell and Dr. W. S. Paul returned yesterday from a flight to Moose Factory, on James Bay, where splints were applied to the fractured hip of the Rev. G. Morrow, Anglican missionary, it was learned today when Dr. Paul arrived at Moonbeam by dog team.

Capt. Maxwell remained at Remi Lake, whence he will take off again for Moose Factory on the first fine day to bring the missionary, who is in a serious condition, to Lady Minto Hospital at Cochrane, Ont. Dr. Paul left today for Cochrane to make arrangements.

The missionary had lain for days in a serious condition without medical attention available at the northern outpost.

Mrs. Hurst Heads New Club. Berlin, March 14 (A.P.).—Mrs. C. Bailey Hurst, wife of the American Consul General here, has been elected president of the newly formed American Woman's Club. Mrs. Wallbridge Taft, of Cincinnati, was elected vice president.

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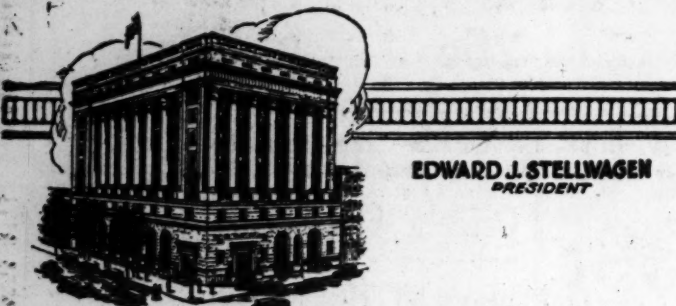
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COUNTRY CLUB RAID CAUSES 3 ARRESTS

Hagerstown Resort Searched
by Dry Agents; Whisky
Reported Seized.

OFFICIALS HELD ON BOND

Hagerstown, March 14 (A.P.)—Prohibition officers, a deputy sheriff and a squad of Hagerstown police last night raided the Hagerstown Country Club and arrested the club president, steward and one attendant, after confiscating alleged liquor and beer.

Charles C. Easton, president and one of the owners, W. H. Dickinson, the club steward, and Harvey Wachter, attendant, were charged with possession and sale of liquor and will be given a hearing before the United States commissioner at Frederick. Unable to furnish bail at a late hour last night, the three spent the night in the custody of Sheriff Scott Kline at the residence connected with the county jail.

The raiding party claimed they went into the front door of the club and bought liquor in the grillroom on the first floor, after which they searched the building and made the arrests. President Easton, however, vigorously denied any liquor was sold. The men asked if they were members. They proceeded with the search, he said, adding that if any liquor was found it was the property of individual members.

Prohibition Agents Robert E. Beall and George Danforth, from Baltimore. Deputy Sheriff Charles Cuhner and a squad of city police made up the raiding party. They said they seized two kegs of beer, a quantity of whisky and seven slot machines and also reported they had dismantled a part of a bar and some beer coils.

The club has about 400 members, but few were present at the time of the raid. The members and guests and the colored waiters were not disturbed by the raiders.

Dry Officers Arrest

Defeated Candidate

Special to The Washington Post.
Hagerstown, Md., March 14.—Harry Osborne, defeated candidate for councilman in the recent Democratic primaries, was under arrest today charged by Federal prohibition agents with being in possession of four one-quarter kegs of alleged beer.

The agents had trailed Osborne's truck before seizing him. After samples were taken the remainder was confiscated. Osborne will face the United States commissioner at Frederick.

**3 NEW WARSHIPS
VOTED BY BRITAIN**

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pointed out, while the present cost is only \$6.9 of the total.

Discussing the three cruisers to be laid down this year, Bridgeman said two would be of the smaller type with 6-inch guns to replace some of the smaller cruisers now being built, while plans for the third cruiser had not been decided.

"We now have 52 cruisers, compared with 114 before the war," he went on. "Between 1935 and 1940 no fewer than 40 cruisers laid down during the war will have reached the age limit."

"If we construct less now, we will be faced with a heavy program in the later years. If the program were suddenly increased greatly at that time, everybody would be asking the reason and suspicions would be created. The present policy also helps stabilize employment in the royal navy yards."

Turning to the subject of disarmament, Bridgeman said:

Willing to Do Share.

"It suits the purpose of certain people to make out that Britain is not doing its fair share of naval disarmament, but that is not true. We are always willing to do our share in that direction. As far as naval disarmament goes, we have done far more than any other nation."

"Some people talk as though the first act of disarmament was the Washington conference in 1921, at which the United States made a handsome proposal to scrap a number of capital ships built or building, and did scrap nearly 500,000 tons. We agreed to scrap 400,000 tons of completed ships apart from our new battle cruisers just ordered. Since the armistice we have scrapped more ships than we now have left. In the face of those facts, I fail to see how anybody can say we have not done our fair share."

Bridgeman expressed regret at the collapse of the Coudreau 1927 Geneva conference, saying that acceptance of the smaller battleship proposal then made would in a few years have saved Britain \$500,000,000.

Hits "Very Unwise Talk."

"I think there is a great deal of very unwise talk about the idea of building in competition with the United States. It is not supported by the policy I have endeavored to pursue. In 1927 and 1928 we dropped three cruisers from our program in case the United States might still wish to consider that proposal. The fact that in 1929 we are beginning the replacement of 6-inch guns cruisers emphasizes that we are not and have not been trying to go America one better."

Bridgeman quoted sections of President Hoover's inaugural address in which Hoover said that no fear or suspicion of war could be directed toward the United States.

"I certainly can endorse that for Britain," Bridgeman said. "Both powers are lovers of peace, both by interest and tradition. Both recognize the course to war as an instrument of national policy. It is unreasonable to suppose that either will be engaged in war of aggression against any other power, and still more unreasonable to imagine any danger of them fighting each other."

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"On the other hand, there is a certain lack of logic in the belief that proportional reductions in armaments all around necessarily means that a step has been taken in the direction of peace. If everybody's forces are proportionately reduced, their chances of success against any other power remain the same. Therefore, the incentive to war remains unchanged."

"Nevertheless, a reduction is desirable in the interests of economy and still more desirable in the interests of humanity, particularly if it were possible to abolish the use of submarines, poison gas and air attacks against noncombatants."

"If people would cease perpetually talking of the dangers of war, instead go about saying that they had genuine confidence in the desire of the great nations for peace, it would make peace far more certain and reduction of armaments much more likely than insistence upon very elaborate mathematical tables to meet the requirements of countries whose conditions are so totally different and whose needs are in no way compatible."

ESCAPES DEATH



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DETECTIVE R. J. BARRETT.

16 SEIZED AS GUNMEN SLAY TWO INFORMERS

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Jerome Christian, 22 years old; James Barnett Christian, 24 years old, both of 64 Pierce street northwest; Howard Edward Dodson, 19 years old, 300 F street southwest; Richard Stone, 27 years old, 1900 Fourth street northwest; Ernest Hawkins, 20 years old, 507 South Capitol street southwest; Cornelius L. Lyons, 22 years old, 6-A N street southwest; Percy Johnson, 28 years old, 355 McLane avenue southwest; William Bradley, 25 years old, 4408 Riggs street northeast, and Lawrence E. Hall, 28 years old, 1101 F street northwest.

FLIER DIES IN CRASH; ANOTHER IS INJURED

Guardsmen of Pennsylvania
Meet Disaster in Making
Forced Landing.

WERE RETURNING HOME

Baltimore, March 14.—Lieut. Jack W. Albright, Pennsylvania National Guard aviator, was instantly killed last night, and a fellow officer, Lieut. W. O. Igenfritz, formerly of Baltimore, was injured when a military training plane belonging to the aviation section of the Pennsylvania Guard crashed in making a forced landing near Belair in a fog.

The men were flying back last night, after having visited Maryland National Guard fliers at Logan Field.

Victor H. Bowers, near whose home the plane crashed, said it flew over his house in circles searching for a landing place, its motor sputtering and at times apparently going dead.

He found the plane in a field, its tail in the air, its wheels wrapped around a tree and the motor crashed. In the pilot's seat was Lieut. Albright, apparently dead, and in the rear cockpit was Lieut. Igenfritz, badly injured but conscious. Igenfritz directed Bowers and several other men who had now arrived to get the pilot from the front cockpit. The motor, jammed back into the cockpit, had caught Albright's feet and he could not be removed until his military boots were unclipped and his feet slipped from them.

Dr. W. P. Hudson, of Forest Hill, pronounced Albright dead and ordered his body removed to an undertaker's establishment in Belair. Lieut. Igenfritz had become unconscious and was taken to the Bowers home.

In the house Dr. Hudson revived the aviator, discovered that he had no fractured ribs and a number of cuts and bruises.

Police from Belair took Igenfritz to the sheriff's office in Belair, where he gave an account of the accident and telephoned a report to the commanding officer of the Pennsylvania National Guard and faster combat planes.

The fliers took off from Logan Field in a light rain after being in Baltimore for a few hours.

Igenfritz was one of the first members of the Maryland National Guard air unit and in it he held the rank of sergeant. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William T. B. Igenfritz, of Catonsville, and is the adjutant of the Pennsylvania squadron.

**FOG AIDS RUNNERS
LAND MUCH RUM**

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mixed and then she snuffed the air. The sudden flapping of the tarpaulin covering the load verified her suspicions. She stepped on the gas and met Patrolmen John T. Clark and Harry R. Whittemore, of the Fourth Precinct, cruising a mile away.

She told them of the truck and its cargo. Clark and Whittemore, revolvers aimed, surprised the driver and four other men unloading the truck and forced them to surrender. Two other men escaped. Clark and Whittemore had a citizen telephone to police headquarters for help.

Extra policemen arrived and the contraband and six automobiles, parked in side road, were taken to headquarters in Mineola. Federal Agent Gregory O'Keefe, who later assumed charge of the case, said one of the prisoners, Rudolph Wylie, of Rockville Center, confessed ownership of the liquor and told of the radio-equipped car. The names of the other prisoners were withheld.

Police estimated the 600 cases of whisky, tagged "William Penn Rye," to be worth \$150,000 if cut and sold at current bootlegging prices. Wylie, it was said, confessed the radio in one of the cars was used for communication between rum-running ships along the coast and with headquarters, but refused to reveal the location of headquarters.

Tokyo (A.P.)—Prince Takamatsu, second younger brother of the emperor, has been assigned to duty aboard the battleship Haruna. This ends his four-year training period.

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Dec. 31, 1920	42,765,374.55	16,593,764.16	11,361,311.89
Dec. 31, 1925	67,922,096.58	20,265,572.73	24,161,943.85
Dec. 31, 1927	80,193,738.67	21,794,727.64	29,514,599.03
Dec. 31, 1928	98,190,644.96	24,332,695.62	37,252,917.34

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WOMEN DROP PLAN FOR U. S. DEFENSE

War Secretary Says Second Meeting Has Been Postponed Indefinitely.

SUPPORT FOUND LACKING

Collapse of a project to give American women recognition in the scheme of national defense was seen yesterday, when it was announced that the second meeting of a committee of women to put the plan into operation had been postponed indefinitely.

Secretary of War Good, to whom the project is new, announced that "the details have not been worked out and it was thought best to work out the details before the thing got too far."

The plan was first brought before War Department officials by a number of women's organizations and was laid before the country February 25 by Secretary of War Davis.

It was the plan then to adopt a system similar to that used in connection with the citizens military training camps, with a chief civilian aid from the ranks of the women for the War Department.

Included Corps Area Leaders.

The scheme also included an aid for each corps area and one for each State. Since the first conference in February, it is reported that lack of enthusiasm for the participation of women in the national defense organization has caused the War Department officials to hesitate in looking farther ahead on the project.

Outside reports put the General Federation of Women's Clubs in an undecided position, with part of the membership of the League of Women Voters opposed to the plan. Other opposition among women's organizations is rumored and because of this division of opinion it is thought officials decided to postpone the second conference indefinitely.

Chief Named at First Party.

At the first conference, Mrs. John F. Ruppel, of Baltimore, president general of the Federation of Women's Clubs, was named chief civilian aid to the War Department by Secretary Davis, to work with Miss Anita Phillips, department director of women's relationships.

Other members of the conference were requested to recommend names for appointment as corps and State aids.

Among the women participating in the original conference were Mrs. Bonnie Busch, national president, League of American Pen Women; Mrs. Maud Wood Park, American League of University Women; Mrs. William Sherman Walker, Daughters of the American Revolution; Miss Belle Sherrill, president, League of Women Voters; Miss Lena Hitchcock, president, Women's Overseas Service League; Mrs. Frederick W. Mattheson, National Society of Daughters of 1812; Miss Mabel Boardman, secretary, National American Red Cross; and Mrs. Edward McK. Lewis, American Legion Auxiliary, all of Washington.

SERVICES FOR V. R. EDWARDS

Attorney to Be Buried Tomorrow Morning in Congressional Cemetery.

Vedantus R. Edwards, 93-year-old attorney, who died Wednesday night at his late home at 2200 Nineteenth street northwest, after a brief illness, will be buried tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock in the Congressional Cemetery. The Rev. James Shera Montgomery will officiate.

Edwards had lived in the District since 1868, when he married and moved here from Indiana. He was a member of the bar of the United States Supreme Court and the Court of Claims and was in active practice until two weeks ago.

He was a member of the Harvard Law Club of Washington. He is survived by two daughters, Miss Grace Edwards and Miss Faith Edwards; and two sons, Clifton V. Edwards and Delius M. Edwards.

JOHN E. HOGAN DIES SUDDENLY

Funeral of U. S. Composer to Be Held Tomorrow at Late Residence.

Funeral services for John E. Hogan, 63 years old, composer in the Government Printing Office, who died of a disease yesterday morning while at work, will be held tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from his residence, 115 Rhode Island avenue northeast. Burial will be in Mount Olivet Cemetery.

Hogan had been in the employ of the government for 40 years. He was stricken suddenly while sitting at his composing machine. The fire rescue squad was summoned, but he was dead when the squad arrived. Hogan is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary E. Hogan; two daughters, Mrs. Charlotte Patterson and Miss Inez Hogan, of Boston, Mass.; and John E. Hogan, Jr.

The Once Over

By H. I. PHILLIPS

"ETAOINSHRUJL; OR, MAKING OUT THE INCOME TAX."

Print your name and address here. Making all the rest clear. Street and city? County? State?

If so, how and on what date? Are you in the U. S. A.?

(See page 6 and item 3). Are you living? (item 4).

State just why and underscore: How much money do you get? Not or grow or gain or net?

Give your bank accounts entire: State your loss by storm or fire: Note your gifts to charity (items 2 to 23).

If you can't quite figure that: Draw the numbers from a hat: Are you married? Yes or no?

And relate who told you so: Did you live, or so appear, With her through the fiscal year?

If not, give six reasons why: And subtract or multiply: Items 2 and 8 and 4.

By your children, three or more: State your income (Schedule A)—Add it to the time of day: State how old you think you are—Add the mileage of your car: From this total (Schedule C) Deduct any royalty: Read your gas meter and then Multiply by Second Schedule: On line 6 the total write: Reading from the left to right: Fill in Schedules A and B: Also Schedules C and D: Take your pulse and add it to: Latest figures on the "flu": See subsections (e) and (g) (Page 8, Section 23): Now divide by Schedule J: Ten per cent of Schedule J: (See Instructions 5 and 7) (Items 6 to 27): Study Item 21: Tilt you are Napoleon: (One more item and you'll be Caesar or Mark Antony): Stand now, please, upon your head: And recall what Einstein said: Now from your old auto plate: Take the numbers (item 8) And add 33 per cent: Of all money that you spent: Fold the blank and send it in: While your brain is in a spin: If it's wrong, well, let it go: You'll be too far gone to know.

GUEST OF HONOR



DR. THOMAS FRANCIS FOX.

Fox Will Address Gallaudet Mutes

Fanwood School Official to Lecture Before Society Here Tonight.

Dr. Thomas Francis Fox, of New York City, will be the guest of honor tonight at the annual alumni lecture night exercises of the Literary Society of Gallaudet College. The subject of his lecture has not been announced, but it is expected to deal with matters of vital interest to the deaf.

Dr. Fox lost his hearing when 10 years old. He is a graduate of Pennwood School for the Deaf at New York and of Gallaudet College. In addition he has pursued postgraduate studies in education and psychology at Columbia University.

Dr. Fox, who is 70 years old, has been an honorary degree of doctor of letters by Gallaudet College in 1904.

Klein Sees Europe Nearing Prosperity

Director of Bureau Here Is Presiding in Vienna at Attaches' Session.

Vienna, March 14 (A.P.).—Dr. Julius Klein, director of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce at Washington, today opened an annual conference of American commercial attaches stationed throughout Europe. During the next week general trade conditions in Europe will be studied for possibilities of extending the present market for American goods, seeking opportunities for American capital and considering the effects of the tariff policies of various European countries.

Dr. Klein said that it was gratifying to see all European countries slowly recovering from the disastrous effects of the war and he predicted an era of prosperity for them. "Austria can seek salvation by improvement of tourist traffic," he said.

STORM KILLS NINE IN SOUTH CAROLINA

Seven Homes Wrecked by Tornado That Sweeps Village of Six Mile.

CHILD CARRIED 100 YARDS

Greenville, S. C., March 14 (A.P.).—The little village of Six Mile, in Pickens County, today had counted nine dead, five seriously hurt and a dozen or more persons slightly injured as a result of a tornado that hit that place last night.

The 200 inhabitants today searched the ruins of seven houses, a cotton gin and a number of barns to make certain that there were no others hurt or killed. A steady rain was falling and a stiff wind blowing.

The dead—Deputy Sheriff and Mrs. G. Nelson Garrett, J. C. Garrett, 18; Edward Garrett, 9; Bertie Garrett, 11; Mrs. B. Tillman Garrett, Mildred Garrett, 14; Lucia Garrett, 12; and Evelyn Garrett, 7.

Seriously injured—Wesley Curtis, Mrs. Wesley Curtis, Mary Allen Garrett, daughter of Mrs. B. Tillman Garrett; Virginia Garrett, 4; and Ben Smith.

The storm struck the community at 8:30 o'clock last night and in what inhabitants said was less than a minute razed seven homes. The deaths all occurred in the homes of Deputy Sheriff and Mrs. G. Nelson Garrett and Mr. and Mrs. B. Tillman Garrett. Five members of the family of the deputy sheriff were killed and four of the family of Mr. and Mrs. B. Tillman Garrett.

A joint funeral for the nine victims of the death dealing wind will be held some time tomorrow at the Six Mile Baptist Church. The surviving members of the two families in which the fatalities were suffered all expressed desire for a joint funeral service.

Roy Garrett, of the United States Navy, and last heard of from in New York, is the only member of the Nelson Garrett family living today. Only two members of the Tillman Garrett family survive without injuries, the father and his 15-year-old son, Milford, though Virginia, 5, and Mary, 3, were living today with painful injuries bearing testimony to the fact that they were in their home when it collapsed last night.

Little Lucian Garrett was picked up from the debris of the Tillman Garrett home and carried through the air about 100 yards, striking against the Six Mile Grammar School. She was found a short time later still alive, but died shortly after being taken to the Six Mile Academy Hospital.

The need of a sack of flour was attributed to having saved the lives of Tillman Garrett and his son. They had gone to a store and were returning with the sack when the storm struck their home and completely destroyed it and killed four members of the family.

Total property loss had not been estimated today but will run into many thousands of dollars.

FIRE RECORD.

10:49 p. m.—735 Fifteenth street northwest, awning.
11:34 a. m.—201 Thirteenth street northwest, awning.
11:43 a. m.—300 Harvard street northwest, automobile.
3:57 p. m.—Across street from 2244 Ontario road northwest, automobile.
8:43 p. m.—Twenty-ninth street and Woodley road northwest, automobile.

Attorneys Would "Educate" Juries Against Jones Law

Committee at New York Includes Four Former Assistant U. S. Prosecutors; Repeal of Dry Act Alone Can Check Crime Increase, It Is Asserted.

New York, March 14 (N.Y.W.S.).—A law, which provides a possible penalty of five years in prison and \$10,000 fine for all dry law violations except possession.

Mr. Couderc said his committee might be helpful in "aiding juries to perform their invaluable function of preserving civil liberties."

The formation of the committee, which so far is nameless, took place simultaneously with the monthly meeting of the Voluntary Committee of Lawyers, Inc., who were told by George E. Worthington, counsel for the committee of fourteen, that vice conditions and illegal liquor traffic will grow worse unless the prohibition law is repealed.

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Civic Group Backs Doyle As Successor to Hesse

Robert E. Doyle, captain of the Eighth Precinct, was endorsed last night for the position of superintendent of police by the Bloomingdale Civic Association, which met in the Taber Presbyterian Church, Second and 8 streets northwest.

In another set of resolutions William McK. Clayton and W. A. Roberts were endorsed for appointment on the Public Utilities Commission. The corresponding secretary was directed to request of the Commissioners better lights on cross streets between Adams street and Florida avenue, North Capitol and Second streets.

Hibernians of Capital Plan Dual Celebration

Members of the Ancient Order of Hibernians will hold a double celebration at their banquet at the Willard Hotel tomorrow night. They will honor Ireland's patron saint (St. Patrick), and will mark also the centennial of Catholic political emancipation in Ireland.

James T. McCarthy, chairman of the committee in charge, has announced that all persons interested may obtain reservations whether they belong to the order or not. The order is open to both Catholics and Protestants, but the Catholic emancipation was considered such an event in Irish history that its centennial was included in the celebration tomorrow.

Claudel to Be Given Honorary Doctorate

Paul W. Claudel, French Ambassador to the United States, will receive the honorary degree of doctor of letters from Clark University, Worcester, Mass., on April 15, according to announcements received here yesterday.

M. Claudel, in addition to being one of the best known members of the local diplomatic corps, is widely known as a poet and it is in connection with the latter that he will be honored by the university.

Mexico City is far south, but every cold spell is accompanied by a list of dead, mostly homeless paupers.

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No Increase in Bank Rate.
The fact that the New York Federal

made no change in its rate. With several foreign exchanges around the incoming gold point, a further increase

Taking of about \$8,000,000 in gold in Germany was reported, bringing the

Decreases in Brokers' Loans

been looked for as the New Radio stock had to be paid for this week. The New York banks decreased their loans by

the extraordinarily cheerful tone of the weekly steel trade reviews. Bethlehem, earnings of which are expected to ap-

ings of the year, with General Motors touching a new peak at 86½, up more

Pacific Telephone Soars.
Pacific Telephone, ordinarily an in-

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Hagen-Diegel Win Team Honors

Beat Farrell-Sarazen, 1 Up, in International 4-Ball Finals.

Hagen's Brilliant Play on Last Nine Holes Decides Title.

MIAMI, Fla., March 14 (A.P.).—Walter Hagen today attacked the seemingly impregnable defense of Gene Sarazen and Johnny Farrell to win for himself and Leo Diegel a one-up victory and the championship of Miami's international four-ball golf match.

Sarazen and Farrell Boost Lead to 3 Up at 28th.

Until the last six holes of the match it had appeared that Sarazen and Farrell would retain the crown they won in the 1927 international four-ball matches. They had advanced to a three-hole advantage at the twenty-eighth hole when Hagen threw himself into the breach to gain victory for him and for Diegel at the thirty-sixth hole.

Hagen had presented once in the morning round a flash of the brand of play that won the tournament, when he dropped a 45-foot chip shot into the sixth cup for a birdie 2 to take the hole.

The championship cup of the \$4,000 purse was \$1,000, or \$750 each to Hagen and Diegel. Sarazen and Farrell, as runners-up, received \$500 each.

MORNING ROUND.

Sarazen out... 4 5 4 4 3 4 4 3 39

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Grays and 2 Calvary Teams Among S. Atlantic Winners

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS. UNLIMITED CLASS—Calvary M. E. 20, University A. C. 19; Woltz Photographers 48, Bill 25; United Typewriter Grays 46, Bolling Field 15.

GIRLS SENIOR CLASS—Calvary Basketeers 23; Als A. C. 18.

150-POUND CLASS—Kanas 52, Damascus 21.

100-POUND CLASS—Jewish Community Center 13, Senator Whitwinds 11.

THREE of last night's six games in the South Atlantic A. C. basketball championship tournament, which the Washington Post is conducting at the George Washington University Gymnasium, developed into close contests, with a few seconds to go.

"Beat the Jewish Community Center" has become the slogan of all other teams in the tournament.

The feature game of the night was the Calvary M. E. and University A. C. clash, in which the church quintet won on a foul toss after the university players had fought an uphill battle to tie the score, with a few seconds to go.

Als Girls, Outnumbered, Put Up Glorious Exhibition.

Calvary M. E. players scored a double when the Basketeers survived the first round of the girls' senior class, defeating the University A. C. team.

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Mack Piqued At Trend of Baseball

Huge Salary Demands May Force Him Out, He Declares.

Fortunes Are Risked; Sees Game as Hobby of Millionaires.

SPECIAL TO THE WASHINGTON POST.

VON PARK, Fla., March 14.—Connie Mack, manager and part owner of the Philadelphia Athletics and "grand old man of baseball," in a conversation here with President Sam Bronfman of the Cardinals, indicated he was thoroughly discouraged with modern baseball, and was about ready to throw up the sponge.

The exhortant salary demands of the players, direct contrast with the small returns the clubs are receiving from gate receipts, is going to force Mack, along with other present-day owners, to get out of the game, he declared.

The Athletics had two holdouts of note. Mickey Cochrane and Max Bishop, the veteran manager of the A's said. "Cochrane finally came to his senses and signed up, but Bishop demanded the ball club. He is signed now, but it is hard to convince these boys of the financial conditions in baseball."

"Take our club, for instance. The players believe that, because we finished second in the American League race last year, we're flooded with greenbacks. Well, the Athletics didn't start their winning spree until we had only 20 more games remaining on our season's schedule. Naturally, our profits were small as a result."

Athletics Made 1 Per Cent on Investment Last Season.

"To be exact, the Philadelphia Club realized but 1 per cent on its investment last year. And every one will admit that the owners, who have to risk the large sums we invest in baseball, are really entitled to more than 1 per cent in earnings."

"Unless some action is taken at once, the day is not far off when millions and big-moneyed men of the country will be buying up the ball club and running them as a hobby. That will ruin the sport, of course, for the 'game' will not be so much for the men with the millions as it will be for the present men in baseball who have been in the game for years, and have remained in it merely for the love of the sport and the anxiety to win, such as myself, have not much further to go under present financial conditions."

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Yet there is nobody even coming down the aisle. True, there is somewhat of an elimination jam going on just inside the door between Sharkey, Paulino, Schmeling, and others, but without much result.

The trouble with these elimination matches is that they usually end in the elimination of both contestants.

Following is Ripley's explanation of the "apple puzzle" in the Believe It or Not cartoon published in The Post yesterday. The problem: Three boys had apples to sell. One boy had 85 apples. One had 50 apples. One had 15 apples. They sold their apples at the same rate and each received the same amount of money.

At what price were the apples sold? The solution: The apples were sold at the rate of 1 cent a dozen, in even dozens and 3 cents for each apple over the even dozen. Thus, each boy received 10 cents for his apples.

17 Hits Carry Nationals to Triumph

St. Louis Rookies Are Pounded; Bluege and Barnes Lead.

Campbell Is Unable to Halt Cards; Hadley Shows Form.

By FRANK H. YOUNG (Staff Correspondent of The Post).

VON PARK, March 14.—The Nationals scored 17 runs against the St. Louis Cardinals here this afternoon, yet were forced to fight all the way to turn in a victory for the National League champions counted 9 runs, pounding Archie Campbell off the hill in the meantime. Had the former Yankee pitcher been as effective as were Irving Hadley, Guy Cantrell and Adolph Liska, Johnson's team would have won in a walk, for 7 of the Cardinals' runs and eight of their thirteen hits resulted from Campbell's offerings.

Manager Billy Southworth had no less than 21 hurlers from which to select his moundmen and he drew the following names from the hat: Grover Alexander, Chester Martin, Dominie Ryba, Jim Winford, Clarence Heise and Rona Boykin. All were fairly effective except Martin and Winford.

All told, the Nationals obtained 17 hits, drew 8 bases on balls, had 8 hit batsmen and benefited from 2 errors, and it was largely due to the fact that the diamond made base running hard that they did not do even more damage.

Winning up their third successive "Grapefruit League" victory, less than 300 cash customers viewed the game, which consumed nearly two hours and half of time.

Bluege and Barnes Lead Attack With 3 Hits.

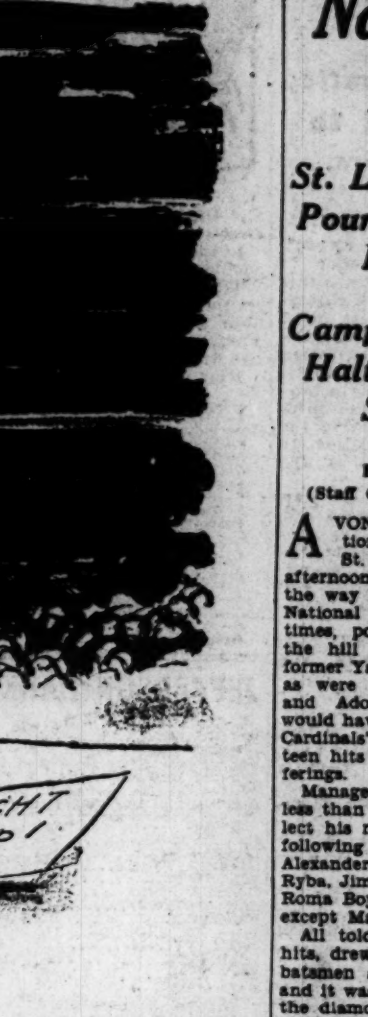
Practically all the Nationals took part in the batting rampage. Bluege and Barnes showing the way with three apiece, each, while Simons, Gooch and Cantrell were credited with two apiece.

Hadley, Roettger and Selph led the Cards' attack.

In the first three frames, with Hadley the pitching opponent of the veteran Alexander, the youngster had all the better of the battle, winning the number of hits allowed; but the Cards, with the

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Almost the Naked Truth

By JAMES S. COLLINS

NEW YORK, March 14.—Bridge, which succeeded the corner saloon as a home wrecker, seems to be incubating ways of slipping the black spot to the skipper of the Pirate craft.

Waner Case Will Rankle in Minds of Dreyfus and Waners.

The Waner brothers are more files in the Pittsburgh olintment. This pair of star outfielders, who form the backbone of the team, are determined holdouts.

Barney Dreyfus, owner of the club, seems just as determined that he will make no further concessions. One side or the other probably will back down before the season starts, but the incident will rankle. Barney Dreyfus never sponges off a state. Cuyler, Wright, McInnis, Carey, Rigler, Adams, Maranville, Grimm and others have reason to know that Barney nurses his grievances on very bitter milk.

Dividends of College Education.

Dr. Clark of Teachers' College, finds that a college education does not pay dividends, basing his finding on an extensive survey. In commenting on the inability of droves of college-trained men to earn enough to pay the butcher, the baker and the bootlegger, several commentators drag in the name of Jack Dempsey, famous as the man who looks like Max Schmeling, as exhibit A in their argument that there is something radically wrong with our economic system.

They seem to think that somebody ought to push a button and have something done about it when an ex-hobo laughs at a \$30,000 a year job as beneath his notice while many a full professor can't be bothered to hire a boy to come in twice a day to hold a lantern while his wife shakes down the furnace. Somehow, Dempsey seems to blame for the people who taught Jack

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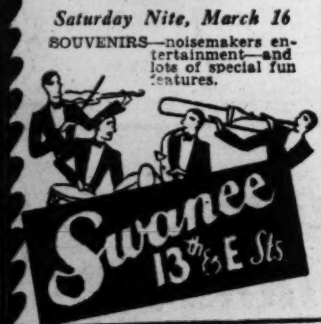
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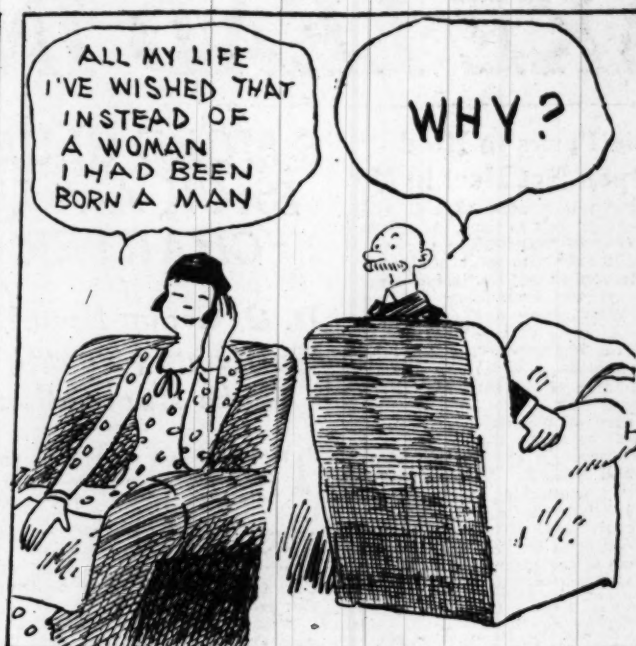
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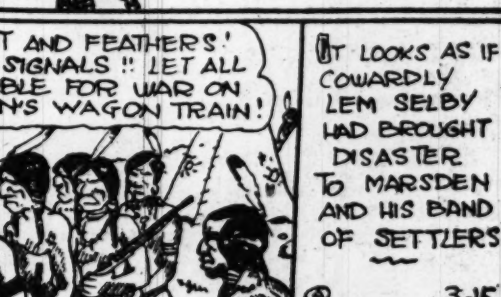
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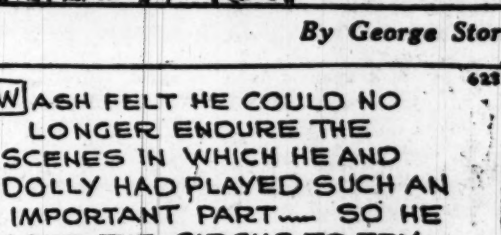
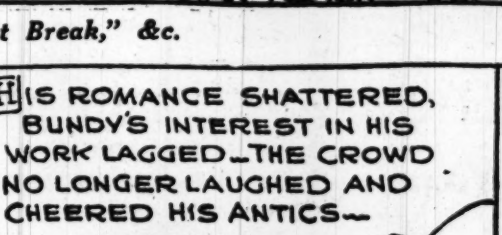
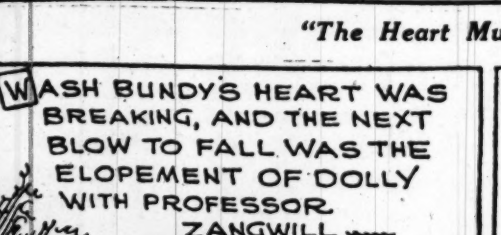
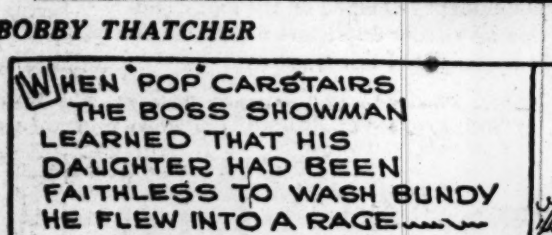
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Home Adams 4089.

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WOMAN'S COUNSEL AT NARCOTIC TRIAL HINTS "FRAME-UP"

Doctor Testified Against Mrs. Horner to Save Himself, Is Charge.

ACCUSED IN FORGERY OF FIVE PRESCRIPTIONS

Drug Bureau Head Refuses to Bring Records of Office Into Court.

Hints of a "frame-up" were made yesterday by the defense throughout the trial of pretty Mrs. M. Horner, wife of Stanley Horner, widely known automobile distributor, in the District Supreme Court. She is charged with forging and uttering five narcotic prescriptions.

Evidence that Dr. Mazarin C. Dollman, prominent physician, who issued the prescriptions to Mrs. Horner, testified against her in order to settle a charge of violating the Harrison anti-narcotic law was introduced through official records of the 4500 contempt cases between the physician and the Treasury Department.

Col. L. G. Hunt, in charge of the local Narcotic Bureau, was subpoenaed to bring to the court all papers concerning the compromise, but refused. Through his counsel, the official stated he was of the opinion that he was bound by regulations not to reveal the agreement. The master has been referred to Commissioner of Internal Revenue David H. Blair for a ruling on whether the papers should be introduced.

Official Paper Offered.

However, through a stipulation between John H. Burnett and Milton King, defense counsel, and Assistant District Attorney William H. Collins, the prosecutor, one of the official papers was put into evidence. The paper stated that Dr. Dollman had offered Federal authorities \$500 to settle a charge of issuing three prescriptions to Mrs. Horner, a defendant "not in the course of his professional practice." The paper also stated that compromise was made on grounds of absence of criminal intent, personal acquaintance with the patient for more than fifteen years, previous good record, and willingness to testify on behalf of the Government.

The paper stated that Dr. Dollman was the principal offender. On the witness stand Dr. Dollman denied that he was testifying in order to gain a nolle prosequi of the indictment pending against him.

Heated cross-examinations of Morris Rodman and C. P. Beckley of the Argyle pharmacy, Seventeenth street and Park road northwest, where prescriptions given Mrs. Horner were filled, featured the trial sessions.

250 Prescriptions Shown.

The pharmacist brought with him approximately 200 prescriptions for drugs, which were issued to Mrs. Horner by Dr. Dollman between May and September of 1927 and which were used as exhibits during the proceedings.

Questions propounded to the two by the defense left the inference that the defense would contend there was a "frame-up" between the two and the physician.

John Rodman and Beckley denied that they altered the five prescriptions upon which the charge against Mrs. Horner is based. Both admitted, however, a violation of the Harrison anti-narcotic law in accepting and filling the defendant's prescriptions which were undated by the physician. They said the dates were filled in by them.

Admits Filling Two.

Rodman admitted he filled two of the alleged altered prescriptions and about 40 others, while Beckley admitted he filled three of the alleged altered orders and 40 others. Both admitted that they altered the five prescriptions upon which the charge against Mrs. Horner is based. Both admitted, however, a violation of the Harrison anti-narcotic law in accepting and filling the defendant's prescriptions which were undated by the physician. They said the dates were filled in by them.

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THROUGH WAITING TO FILE INCOME TAX RETURNS



A part of the line which formed in front of the Internal Revenue Bureau on Pennsylvania avenue yesterday afternoon in a heated rush to file income tax returns.

INCOME TAX OFFICE FACING JAM TODAY

Final Rush to Avoid Penalty Looms as U. S. Treasury Awaits Results.

PREDICT LARGE SURPLUS

While hundreds of Washingtonians jammed the narrow office of the collector of internal revenue yesterday to pay the first installment of their 1928 income tax, and hundreds of others are expected to do the same today, Treasury officials await the final payments of official records of the 4500 contempt cases between the physician and the Treasury Department.

At the same time the Treasury officials are studying the total of income tax payments throughout the United States to ascertain the effect of the reduction in the rate on corporations. This rate was reduced from 13 1/2 to 12 per cent at the last session of Congress.

Figures Are Exceeded.

Payments from corporations and individuals received up to yesterday had exceeded the figure anticipated by approximately \$4,000,000, and Treasury officials believe that by midnight the first quarterly payment will have exceeded the \$597,137,732 collected during the first three months of 1928. The total revenue derived from income tax last year amounted to \$2,190,417,221, approximately 2,500,000 individuals and 135,000 corporations participating in rolling up the sum.

Scenes such as that enacted at the local income tax office yesterday were staged all over the country. The local office opened yesterday morning at 9 o'clock, and from then until 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon the crowds in the waiting room were growing. The noon hour and the closing time of Government departments at 4:30 o'clock brought sudden rushes of business.

U. S. Employees Form Lines.

At the latter hour a growing queue of Government employees stretched through the waiting room and the sidewalk of Pennsylvania avenue. An intermittent rain called a few umbrellas into use, but the paper in the line which patiently crawled ahead.

The force of hard-worked clerks bore up well under the torrent of questions, complaints and arguments which poured upon them. They went about their work quietly, smiling friendly greetings to the sometimes irate citizens who faced them across counters or through iron grills.

Frayed Nerves Soothed.

Jaded tempers were soothed and frayed nerves knitted into a semblance of normalcy through their efforts. Inquiries and questions were quickly disposed of, objections to rulings with which the clerks had nothing to do were patiently met.

Yesterday's rush was a funeral procession in comparison with what is expected today, it was said at the office. The doors will open at 9 o'clock this morning and probably will not close until midnight.

No record of the amount of taxes paid during yesterday's rush or of the number of people who paid them is available. The records are sent to Baltimore, headquarters of the division which includes Washington.

White Named Head Of Hygiene Society

Other Officers Also Chosen as Group Reorganizes After 12 Years.

The Society for Mental Hygiene of the District of Columbia met last night in the Willard Hotel after a lapse of twelve years, reorganized and elected new officers.

Dr. William A. White, superintendent of St. Elizabeth's Hospital, heads the organization. Dr. Cloyd Heck Marvin, president of George Washington University, was elected first vice president; Ivan C. Weld, president of the Chamber of Commerce, second vice president, and Dr. Harry Hyland Kerr, president of the District Medical Society, third vice president.

The other officers include Dr. D. Percy Hickling, chairman of the executive committee; Miss Wills Murray, secretary, and Miss Nellie Sogley, treasurer. The society held its last meeting in 1917, shortly before the war broke out, after an existence of two years. The activities of the organization were suspended because of the war.

Pan American Group Hosts To Italian Flier-Motorist

Maj. Joe Mario Barone, Italian aviator and adventurer, who recently completed a 30,000-mile automobile tour from Rio Janeiro to New York City, the first to link the North and South American continents, was the guest of honor at a luncheon yesterday at the Metropolitan Club. The luncheon was tendered by the Pan-American Confederation for Highway Education, and Dr. L. S. Rowe, director of the Pan-American Union, presided.

Maj. Barone, a 30-year-old motor-journalist, began January 11, 1927, as the Brazilian metropolis, and before he reached City Hall, New York, the intrepid driver guided his car through the highways of fourteen countries. The tour resulted in the death of three mechanics, one being thrown from the car near Buenos Aires, another dying from swamp fever in Bolivia and the third being killed by an avalanche which swept the car off the road.

In Nicaragua Maj. Barone was captured by Sandinista bandits, who stripped him of his possessions and left him in a cage.

PSEUDO EMBALMER ACCUSED AS FORGER

Posing as Undertaker, He Is Seized After Woman Tries to Get Cash.

OTHER CLEWS SOUGHT

Benjamin Irvin Grover, 27, of Solomons, Md., who, police say, affects black garments and heavy tortoiseshell spectacles and poses as an undertaker and embalmer, is being held at the First Precinct on charges of forgery and passing an alleged worthless check.

Grover was arrested yesterday afternoon after a young woman whose name the police declined to reveal, presented an alleged worthless check at a downtown bank. Officials of the bank found there was no account listed under the signature on the check, and called in the police. Detectives who hurried to the bank learned from the woman that she was trying to cash the check for a man who was awaiting her return at the Washington, Baltimore & Annapolis Railroad Station. The detectives went to the station and arrested Grover.

No charge was placed against the woman, the police believing she was merely a dupe.

Police believe Grover is the man who recently passed many worthless checks drawn on local banks. They believe he is implicated specifically in the forgery of the name of Charles S. Zuerhorst, 15 years old, of 301 East Capitol street northwest, to a check for \$15. The police are looking for Zuerhorst, a 15-year-old boy who is conducting an establishment which is conducted in the name of the minor son of the late Charles S. Zuerhorst.

Girl Declares Fear Drove Her to Wed

Minor Desires Annulment After Navy Radio Man Returns to Sea.

Mrs. Martha E. Allgood, a minor, asked the District Supreme Court yesterday to annul her marriage to Joseph C. Allgood, radio operator of the United States Navy, declaring that she was in a state of fear at the time of the wedding.

She went riding with the radio operator on April 13 last, she declared, and after driving to Maryland, Md., she asked to be driven back to her home in this city, as it was growing late. She said, continued to drive home and they went to Annapolis. Frightened because of the late hour and fearing a scandal because of her absence from home, the girl declared she consented to the marriage.

She had only met Allgood six months prior to the ceremony, she declared, and during that time had frequently rejected his proposals of marriage because of her age and because she was attending school. After the wedding, she said, she lived with the radio operator only four days, when he was ordered back to duty. The suit was filed through Overton Ennis, of the Victoria Apartments, as next friend of the girl-wife, who was represented by Attorney Austin F. Canfield.

Man Freed in Shooting Of Sailor by Thief Trap

A charge of assault with a dangerous weapon against James Tatum, colored, of 225 Massachusetts avenue northwest, which grew out of the shooting of Edward Bishop, a sailor attached to the Naval Air Station, on February 14, was dismissed yesterday by Judge Isaac R. Pitt in Police Court.

According to testimony, Bishop accompanied John C. Pauck, agent of a motor finance company, to a house to repossess the colored man's automobile. To protect the car from thieves, it was said, Tatum had attached a wire to a 38-caliber rifle so that the gun would explode in the event the car was moved. When the two entered the house, the rifle was fired, and Bishop was killed. The court found that Tatum had acted in defense of his property.

Freshmen to Compete For Award in Oratory

The first annual George Washington University freshmen oratorical contest, sponsored by Phi Delta Gamma, professional fraternities, will be held tonight at 8:15 o'clock in the assembly room of Coker Hall. President O'Jego Heck Marvin will preside and Prof. D. C. Croissant, Prof. E. I. Kayser and George L. Barnham will act as judges.

Nine freshmen will compete, delivering orations especially prepared for the occasion. The contestants will be rated upon the content of the oration and the method of delivery. The winner will be awarded the Phi Delta Gamma Loving Cup and gold medals will be presented to the two next highest contestants. The contest is open to the public.

Girl Is Arrested As Servant-Thief

A servant girl, said to be known to Washington police under half a dozen aliases, who is alleged to have stolen jewelry valued at \$2,000 from the home of Maj. William H. Simpson, United States Army, 1728 H street northwest, on November 8, 1928, half an hour after the accepted employment there as a house servant, was arrested yesterday afternoon in Lakewood, Ohio, according to information received here by police.

Arrested as Mary Quinnlain and known also as Mary O'Connor, Mary McEvoy, Mary Anne Kirby and Cathleen O'Reilly, the name which she gave at the Simpson home, she will be returned to Washington to face charges here if Washington police succeed in having her turned over to their custody.

Her arrest followed soon after the arrest in Baltimore yesterday of a man who had the pawn ticket for one of three rings held stolen. The ring was located there a month ago, police said, and the man appeared yesterday to recognize the ring.

Maj. and Mrs. Simpson and the jewelry who sold the ring, valued at \$2,000, will appear in Baltimore this morning in an attempt to identify it.

MISSIONARIES LUD HOOVER'S POLICIES ON LAW AND PEACE

Methodist Church Council Adopts a Resolution of Thanks.

REPORTS ARE MADE ON MANY ACTIVITIES

Good-Will Messengers Tell of Visits Aboard; Show Great Progress.

President Herbert Hoover was praised for his stand on "law and order" by the 300 delegates to the nineteenth annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, at the opening business session yesterday in the Mount Vernon Place Methodist Episcopal Church.

The commendation was contained in a resolution. "We desire in this auspicious moment," the resolution read, "to make known our appreciation of the President of the United States, Mr. Herbert Hoover, as expressed in his inaugural address on behalf of law enforcement, world peace and human welfare."

The resolution was closed with a prayer for "sustained activity on behalf of law enforcement, the promotion of peace principles and the creation of good will between races and nations."

Urged United Front.

The resolution was in line with the address delivered by Mrs. F. F. S. Smith, Columbia, Mo., president of the council, urging the delegates to work together to bring about a world thought for the abolishment of war and to redouble our efforts to make peace thought world wide.

She was followed on the program by Mrs. B. W. Lipscomb, organization secretary, and Mrs. Ina Davis Fulton, treasurer, who gave reports of the accomplishments of the council during the past year, which was noted as a "jubilee year" in celebration of the 100th anniversary of the woman's missionary movement in the Methodist Episcopal Church South.

Mrs. Fulton reported that \$1,272,843 had been raised during the year, and that there had been no missionaries in China, Japan, Korea, Mexico, Cuba, Brazil, Africa and Poland.

Received by Mrs. F. F. S. Smith.

The first lady of the land, Mrs. Hoover, received the delegates at the White House yesterday afternoon. Mrs. J. W. Downs, secretary of home missions, gave one of the outstanding reports of the afternoon session. She told of the danger of professionalizing social work to a degree that might overshadow the outstanding needs and underlying causes for social reform. She emphasized the necessity of keeping the objective to the forefront rather than technical methods and social work programs.

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Former Policeman, Hunted, Held Seen

F. A. Schenck Was Driving Auto in Capital, Report; Suspect in Holdup.

Police yesterday redoubled their efforts to apprehend Frederick A. Schenck, a former District policeman, following reports that he had been seen here, operating a coach-model automobile.

Schenck, who gained considerable notoriety as a witness in the trial of Dr. J. Edgar Hoover, was wanted in Newark, N. J., in connection with the investigation of a hold-up and shooting at a gasoline filling station in that city.

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Wife Awarded Divorce From Former Detective

A final decree of absolute divorce was awarded to Mrs. Elsie L. Cathim, of 2508 University place northwest, yesterday by Justice Jennings in the District Supreme Court from Douglas S. Cathim, former Burns Detective, who was operating an automobile bearing Maryland license tags. He wore a felt hat and overcoat, heavy glasses and a small mustache, police were told.

Flier Unhurt as Plane Is Upturned in Landing

L. R. Stuyvesant, 1616 Eighteenth street northwest, escaped unhurt yesterday when the Avro-Avian he was flying down from New York, turned over on its landing at the Hoover Field here. The damage to the plane was slight, the propeller being broken and the landing gear bent.

Stuyvesant said that he had landed on a soft spot in the field, which he failed to see from the air. He made a perfect landing but he got no more than 15 feet before the tail of the plane went in the air. He attributed it to the possibility that the tailskid may have struck a bump on the ground.

Federation Approves Question Mark Record

The 150-hour endurance flight of the Army monoplane Question Mark has been officially recognized as a world's record by the Federation Internationale Aeronautique, it was announced yesterday by the National Aeronautics Association.

According to the notice of recognition, the record comes in class C for duration of flight by refueling in air and returning to the point of departure. The time officially credited is 150 hours and 40 minutes.

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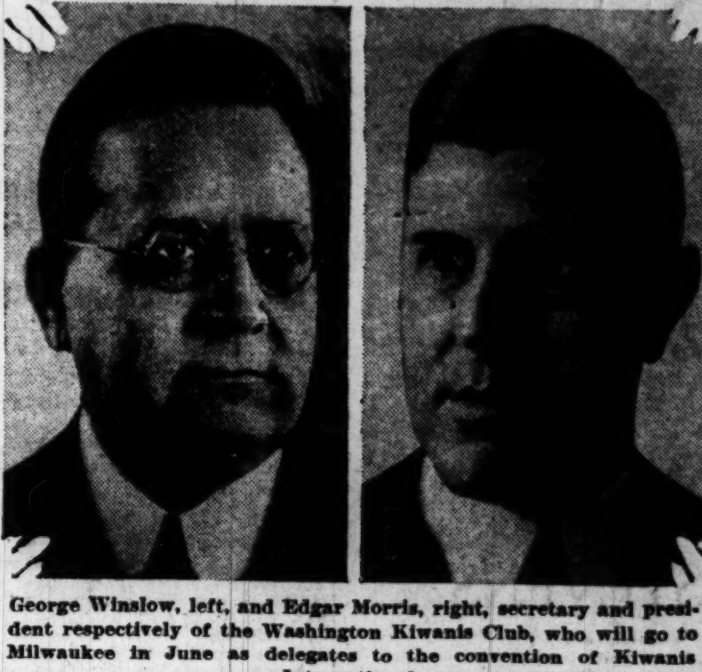
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CLUB NAMES CONVENTION ENVOYS



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Island Scenic Wonders Will Be Topic Tonight

"Ball: The Garden of the Gods" will be the subject of a lecture by Anne Roosevelt before the National Geographic Society this evening in the Washington Auditorium.

Scenic wonders, such as tall peaks rising among rice fields, marvelous gardens of coral under coastal waters and fantastic religious relics will be shown in motion pictures. Mr. Roosevelt has lived in Bali a number of years and is regarded as a foremost authority on the island.

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